Ration Coupons Saturday
Butter B35 to B45
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Weather Forecast
Victoria and Vicinity—Saturday: Clear with southwesterly winds 20 m.p.h. Little change in temperature.
Thursday—Temperatures: Min. 45; Max. 49. Rainfall: .18. Today's noon Temperature: 46.

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New Gales Threaten Flood-Ravaged Britain

Bevin Proposes German States, Federal Union

MOSCOW (AP)—State Secretary Marshall called on the Council of Foreign Ministers today to set plans for the creation of a German government in motion at once and both he and Britain's Ernest Bevin presented programs for the organization of a federalized German nation.

The Council, in a brief session, agreed to invite representatives of the Austrian government here immediately for discussion on the Austrian peace treaty.

The action of Austria came after Marshall had urged the council to break the Austrian treaty impasse on what constitutes German assets in that country and had expressed hope the treaty would be completed during the Moscow meeting.

6 STEPS PROPOSED

Bevin laid before the council a six-step plan for creation of a federalized government structure intended to make Germany a self-governing, democratic state.

Britain's views on the government structure for Germany were set forth in a 600-word paper.

It called for creation of a two-house legislature along the lines of the United States Senate and House of Representatives, a president without executive powers and strong state rights.

Bevin was the first of the four ministers to place his ideas on the structure of the German state before the council.

Informants said the British plan envisaged a lower legislative chamber elected according to population and an upper chamber elected on the basis of a fixed number of representatives from each of the Laender (states).

This central organization for Germany would have power over foreign policy and such external matters as the export-import program, while the states would retain most of the executive rights.

It was expected France and the United States would support the British proposal and the Russians, who want a strong central government for Germany, would oppose it.

Australia Leads Dominions

By ROSS MUNRO

MOSCOW (CP) — Three Dominions' representatives here conferred at the British Embassy today with Foreign Secretary Bevin, who reviewed the whole work of the Foreign Ministers' Conference to date, giving his own views in detail.

In addition, he once again discussed the question of the Dominions' voice in making peace with the defeated powers.

Dana Wilgress, Canadian Ambassador to Russia, attended for Canada along with New Zealand Minister Charles Boswell and the Australian charge d'affaires, Norel Deschamps.

The three Dominion diplomats gave their up-to-date views on the participation issue, which has produced one of the biggest storms of the conference.

RUSSIA STUBBORN

Russia has opposed participation by middle and small powers in writing the peace treaties.

It now appears Australia is being most belligerent of the Dominions in fighting domination of the peace settlement with Germany by the Big Four.

External Affairs Minister Evatt has been sending a stream of instructions from Canberra to the Australian legation here urging every possible effort to be made to put across Australia's case for participation and to fight big power control.

Australian policy on this is probably influenced by a fear that if precedents for big power domination are set here they might be followed in the Japanese settlement in which Australia will want to participate on equal terms with the other powers.

Other Dominions do not like this big power direction, but will accept it if they can get for themselves sufficient participation in the treaty drafting stages, a reliable British source said.

Canada is being realistic and feels there is little use, at this stage, of fighting Big Four control, apart from demands for committee membership.

Australian opposition seems to be a losing battle for all four powers agree it is the job of the Council of Foreign Ministers to control preparations for the German settlement by laying down established principles and by having the final word in the end. This view is in the spirit of the Potsdam agreement.

Abolish Permits Says Liquor Chief

Hope was expressed today by W. F. Kennedy, chairman of B.C.'s Liquor Control Board, that the current permit system for securing liquor would be abolished.

"I hope if the Liquor Act is opened, you boys will throw them (liquor permits) into the harbor," Mr. Kennedy told the legislative public accounts committee.

Mr. Kennedy said the permits put a lot of citizens to a lot of trouble.

He indicated that if the permit and rationing system were abolished, liquors now in short supply would be distributed by putting a certain quantity in each store each day. At the present time only Scotch and rye whiskies are rationed.

Wage Increases For 225,000 Asked

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP)—The United Automobile Workers (C.I.O.) here today formally asked the General Motors Corporation for a 23½ cent hourly wage increase for an estimated 225,000 G.M. production workers.

Union spokesmen said the proposed boost would bring the average wage of the company's production workers to $1.56½ an hour and would cost G.M. about $2,115,000 a week.

Britain Still Suffering Losses From Spring Floods

Windsor was partially put under water by the swollen Thames. This is a glimpse of High Street. Women lined up knee deep in the flood to get food.

$40,000,000 Liquor Business In B.C. Unfairly Criticized Declares Kennedy

The woes of being a liquor commissioner were outlined before the legislative public accounts committee today by W. F. Kennedy, chairman of the B.C. Liquor Control Board, who feels his department has suffered more unfair criticism in the last five years than any other provincial department.

A $40,000,000 business such as the L.C.B.'s should not be the object of ridicule by the press and B.C. citizens, in Mr. Kennedy's opinion. He also protested against "our temperance friends" whose statements that B.C. drinkers were spending $40,000,000 a year on liquor, he termed misleading. The truth of the matter was, he said, that only $10,000,000 was actually being spent on liquor. The other $30,000,000 went in taxes to the two governments.

INFLUX FOR EAST

Mr. Kennedy believes a lot of the L.C.B.'s trouble started after Pearl Harbor when B.C. was inundated with people from all over Canada, and by servicemen from all parts of the British Empire. From 1941 to 1943, B.C.'s population went up 10.97 per cent, many times higher than the increase in other provinces. In fact, some of the other provinces showed decreases.

B.C. was hit by the Dominion Government's restriction order at the beginning of the war. Large stocks were being held in bond, but the L.C.B. was only able to base its future purchases on 70 per cent of what had been cleared from the customs house.

In defending the board against charges of high profits, Mr. Kennedy pointed out that although liquor sales had soared from $13,738,000 in 1939, to the present high figures, profits to the board had actually dropped .7 per cent. In 1939 the net profit was 29.1 per cent, and in 1946 had fallen to 28.4 per cent.

The Scotch whisky situation is not bright, either, according to the liquor commissioner, who said the board was now getting only 50 per cent of prewar shipments and he could not see any solution to the problem.

A number of systems had been tried to distribute the Scotch carefully, but there was always criticism. Mr. Kennedy told the committee that if every man in the province received his share he would get 15½ ounces every 12-month period.

Continuing in his defence of the difficult situation he said the board was in, Mr. Kennedy said there was little difference between 30 underproof and 25 underproof liquor and offered $100 to any man in the committee room who could tell the difference by taste. There was only two cents difference in the cost of manufacturing the two strengths, he said, adding the liquor board paid the same price to the distillers, anyway. To top off his argument, Mr. Kennedy pointed out that when both strengths were on sale, more people bought the 30 underproof.

Answering questions by Harold E. Winch, C.C.F. Opposition Leader, Mr. Kennedy agreed he had been approached by liquor agents who were offering rum but that he had turned them down because there were too many people through which that particular brand had to pass and he could see no sense in paying the higher cost while he had large quantities of good rum aging in bond. At present Mr. Kennedy had 99,239 gallons of bulk rum and 77,765 cases of bottled rum either aging or on order. Even if he did not buy any more, he said, there is enough rum to look after B.C. wants for the next three years.

Other provinces who may have appeared to be better supplied with rum had actually been so low in stocks they had had to buy anything they could get and had subsequently found the brands they bought did not sell, leaving them glad to get rid of it in any way they could.

COMES TOO HIGH

There was little brightness in the liquor commissioner's report on the foreign wine situation. Price of French wines was much too high at present, he said, and he did not see sense in buying up wines which the public would feel were far too high in price.

However, he pointed out that French champagne had been on sale here, and that shipments of cognac were on their way. He did not know what the price of the cognac would be here, but said that in Quebec cognac was selling at $2.75 a bottle more than standard brands of Scotch whisky. Before the war, it was about 75 cents a bottle more.

Alpine Avalanche Buries French Aircraft In Which 23 Died

When this Air France Dakota plane crashed in the French Alps all 23 aboard, passengers and crew perished. After a search, the wreckage was located buried under an avalanche. Four U.S. citizens were among those killed. Barbara Stanwyck and her husband, Robert Taylor, by good fortune had canceled reservations on the plane at Nice.

Delegation Asks Grant Of $350,000 To Police Vancouver

A delegation representing half a dozen Vancouver organizations today asked the provincial government to make a $350,000 grant toward the cost of policing and administering justice in Vancouver.

The delegation also asked that the provincial government pay $1,000,000 more toward education by assuming 50 per cent of the cost and provide a $500,000 grant out of the province's new 3-cent gasoline tax to go toward road renewal and repairs.

The representations were made on behalf of the Vancouver Board of Trade, Vancouver Real Estate Exchange, Downtown Business Association of Vancouver, Vancouver Labor Council, Associated Property Owners of Vancouver, and Building Owners' and Managers Association.

Ask Rental Decontrol

TORONTO (CP)—A delegation from the Canadian Federation of Property Owners is to meet Finance Minister Abbott in Ottawa March 25 to press for removal of rental restrictions and an increase in residential rentals, the association announced today.

LATEST

New Wonder Drug In Production Soon

VANCOUVER (CP)—Dr. Marvin Darrach, University of B.C. graduate, said today the new wonder drug streptomycin will soon be in mass production in Canada and the U.S. as a new cure in tuberculosis, meningitis, undulent fever, sinus trouble, blood-poisoning, dysentery and urinary infections unaffected by penicillin.

Martin Charged

PORT ARTHUR (CP)—Charles Martin, 35-year-old Vancouver man, today was charged with the murder of Joseph Grant, 71, Toronto prospector, whose frozen body was found near Schreiber, Ont., last Monday.

The charge was read to him by Magistrate Walter Russell.

May Recall Blum

PARIS (Reuter)—Leon Blum, veteran Socialist leader who was French Popular Front Premier before the war and whom the present Premier, Paul Ramadier, succeeded, may again be called to form a government if no compromise is reached with the Communists before tomorrow's critical vote of credits for Indo-China, several newspapers suggested today.

Admits Falsehood

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP) — Mrs. Marie Beausejour, alias Vendette, 30, said today her story of being robbed and "slashed" by a razor blade-wielding thug early Tuesday was a hoax.

She pleaded guilty to a charge of public mischief and was remanded a week for sentence. In a statement read in court, the woman said she told police the "attack" story because she did not want her husband to know she had been drinking beer with another man.

To Request Study Of Elections Act

OTTAWA (CP)—State Secretary Gibson gave notice to the Commons today that he would ask for the appointment of a special House committee to study the Dominion Elections Act. The committee would be requested to consider amendments suggested by the chief electoral officer, to study the act itself, and to suggest amendments that it considers advisable.

$91,960,000 To Britain

MOSCOW (AP)—Foreign Secretary Bevin revealed in the Council of Foreign Ministers tonight that Britain had received reparations of more than £22,990,000, ($91,960,000) from Germany since the end of the war. From German external assets seized in the United Kingdom territory under the January, 1946, agreement at Paris, came £15,000,000 to £20,000,000.

Hundreds Taken Out Of Trapped Homes In North

LONDON (AP)—Gale warnings went up throughout Britain today and "worsening conditions" were reported in the two most critical flood areas—the Fenland region in the east and the northern mining town of Bentley.

Rivers were reported receding in virtually all other areas, however, after the country's worst flood disaster in memory.

Soldiers and volunteers stacked more sandbags on a 12-mile long, seven-foot high dike holding back the swollen Wissey River in the fenlands, where entire communities and 110 square miles of rich farm land already were under water.

Trucks piled high with sand were dashing to the danger spots along roads dotted with fleeing flood refugees. R.A.F. planes ranged over the region reporting the spread of ever-widening waters.

Two army amphibians sped the work of rescuing hundreds of families marooned in Bentley, ringed by churning waters and inundated up to a depth of six feet.

Troops in amphibians handed bags of food through bedroom windows to some families who refused to quit their water-logged homes.

The Air Ministry forecast sporadic rains and said expected gales would be "very severe."

Snow lingering from Britain's worst winter blocked highways in the north and in Scotland. Some branch railway lines remained out of service.

As the flood regions dotted 34 of England's 40 counties as well as parts of Wales, the town of Caversham, in the Thames Valley, made arrangements to turn on street lights so townsfolk walking in the dark would not step into flood waters.

Veterans' Houses 'Good Value'

OTTAWA (CP)—A three-man committee which investigated veterans' housing from coast to coast reported today that "the houses . . . represent good value for the cost on the basis of present-day construction, materials and workmanship."

The 25,000-word report was tabled in the Commons this afternoon by Veterans' Minister Mackenzie less than a week after completion of a two-month study which took them to 53 small holdings projects and into 250 of the 2,660 homes constructed under the Veterans' Land Act within a year.

The three, Walter S. Woods, deputy minister of veterans' affairs, Gordon Murchison, V.L.A. chief, and Col. C. E. Parish, a Montreal engineer, all made their own recommendations, but agreed on these views:

1. While there were a number of defects found, the vast majority of these were due to materials and inferior workmanship and practically all can be repaired with a minimum of expense.

2. The houses are generally on a par with those being constructed with the materials and type of labor available today.

3. Drainage and sewage are a problem in a number of the subdivisions and special attention will have to be paid to these two problems later.

4. The houses, particularly in view of the write-off made under an order-in-council and the conditional grant to the veterans, represent good values for the cost on the basis of present-day construction, materials and workmanship.

Britain Will Aid Greece In Interim

LONDON (AP) — Informed government sources said today Britain would continue some economic and military assistance to Greece until aid from the United States should become effective.

Britain previously had notified the Greek and American governments she would be unable to continue her commitments to Greece after March 31.

Informants added that Britain's aid would be "economic and financial" to cover expenses of the Greek army and that British officers were helping the Greek government plan its spring offensive against guerrillas.

The Greeks still are receiving large supplies of British military equipment.

Lilienthal Has Support Of Senate As U.S. Atomic Chief

WASHINGTON (AP) — David E. Lilienthal has the present support of a majority of the Senate, an Associated Press check showed today.

Of 74 members willing to say how they would vote today on the controversial nomination, 49 —a clear majority of the 95 qualified members said they intended to support the nomination. Senator Taft (Rep.-Ohio) said debate on the issue probably would start Monday.

Forty-three senators, including Senator Capper (Rep.-Kan.), who had been undecided until today, have announced publicly their support of Lilienthal. Six others said privately then intend to vote "yes" but do not want their names used before they announce their stand in the Senate.

Twenty-five senators are listed as opposed to confirmation. Five of these, however, are withholding publication of their names until they can tell their colleagues in Senate speeches why they do not want to see Lilienthal continue at the helm of the Atomic Commission. Lilienthal has been serving under a recess appointment since last Jan. 1.

160 Lost With Ship

SHANGHAI (AP) — Central News Agency said today that the crew of more than 160 men of the Chinese gunboat Fu Po lost their lives when the vessel sank off the coast of Fukien Province Wednesday after colliding with a Chinese steamship.

U.S. Anti-Smuggling Patrols Along Canada's Border May End

WASHINGTON (AP) — Customs bureau officials said today that anti-smuggling patrols along the entire Canadian border may have to be discontinued after this month because of congressional budget-cutting.

Those along the Mexican border and the waterfront patrols in major United States ports may have to be curtailed greatly also, they told inquirers. Customs collections at entry ports would not be affected.

The Canadian border patrol is directed from offices in Buffalo, N.Y., northeast section headquarters, and Havre, Mont., northwest section headquarters. These offices, they said, might have to be discontinued.

Many of those now in patrol activities would be reassigned to other duties, such as inspection in ports of entry, to replace others with lesser claims under civil service and seniority procedure if the reductions in force prove finally necessary.

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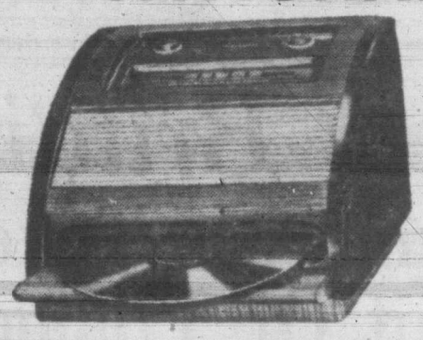

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Boy Of 14 Faces Charge Of Murder

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — Fourteen-year-old Carl de Flumer, charged with first degree murder in the hanging of an eight-year-old playmate, stood silently with tear-swollen eyes today as a mandatory plea of innocent was entered for him in the Albany county court.

The boy continued outwardly calm, as he had been on previous court appearances since last Saturday when the body of Robert Wahrman was found hanging from a tree in a suburban wooded area.

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Many Rotarians Going To Seattle For Convention

A large delegation of Victorians is expected to attend the Rotary convention to be held in Seattle May 4 to 7, inclusive, Sam Armstrong, chairman of the local committee, told members of the club at their luncheon meeting Thursday at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Armstrong said it was important that as many as possible from this city's club should attend the convention as Frank Doherty, member of the Victoria club has been nominated to the post of district governor.

Registration forms will be in the city shortly, he said, and members are asked to take their wives.

Twenty-six out-of-town Rotarians were guests of the local club at the meeting.

They were: R. G. Smith, Calgary; W. W. Cooper, Swift Current; R. W. McClain, Toronto; J. Ferguson, North Battleford; Dr. A. Shuler, Ballard; C. J. Duggan, Camrose; W. Sharpe, Stettler; J. Wylie, Estevan; H. E. Smith, Seattle; Dr. G. M. Aitken, Banff; J. McInnes, Prince George; F. Halls, Winnipeg; W. Adams, Kelowna; W. Johnson, Revelstoke; A. B. Ritchie, Salmon Arm; G. Matthews, Vancouver; F. W. Green, Cranbrook; G. Cowie, Sault Ste. Marie; F. Bowman, Sioux Lookout; Dr. J. A. Valens, Saskatoon; F. Osborne, Calgary; W. Brown, Kamloops, and R. Bowman, Saskatoon.

Church Dedication

Hope Lutheran Church next Sunday will dedicate their own place of worship. The church had its inception during the war years when a number of Lutheran men in the armed services were stationed here. Rev. Wm. Doeling of Duncan began services in Victoria in the fall of 1939. In February, 1940, the Seventh Day Adventist schoolroom was rented for services. Since 1945 services have been conducted in the Seventh Day Adventist Church, Graham and Hillside. Last winter the congregation purchased the property on Chambers and Princess making extensive repairs. The present pastor is E. A. Biberdorf.

'The Redemption' Sung At St. John's

Part one of Gounod's oratorio "The Redemption" will be sung at St. John's Church Sunday evening at 7.30. For this work the composer of "Faust" late in life developed a new method of musico - religious composition. The first performance in 1882 was such a success that the work was given annually for a long period at Albert Hall by the Royal Choral Society, which Gounod founded in its original form as the Gounod Choir. The soloists on Sunday will be Dudley Wickett, Pierre Timp, narrators, Iris Paver as Mary and Harold Piercy as Jesus. The dramatic accompaniment will be played by Frederick Chubb.

Teen Town Leaders Here To See Legislators In Action

This morning 30 Vancouver and Fraser Valley Teen Town leaders arrived in Victoria to inspect the Parliament Buildings and attend a session of the Legislature.

While here they will be guests of the Victoria Teen Club, members of which will billet the visitors and will entertain them at a dance tonight to be held in the club quarters, 1052 Fort Street.

This morning the visiting Teen Town leaders were taken through the Parliament Buildings and this afternoon were guests in the Speaker's gallery.

The Victoria Teen Club will be hosts at a special luncheon tomorrow before the party leaves for Vancouver.

Representatives from the following Teen Towns made the trip: Vancouver—Victoria Road, Sunset Memorial, Kitsilano, Chinese Y; Fraser Valley — Delta Agassiz-Harrison, Cloverdale, Richmond and Abbotsford.

Alec Hope, Delta, M.L.A., acted as host for the inspection trip through the Parliament Buildings. Mr. Hope extended an invitation to mainland Teen Towners to visit the sessions last November when speaking at a meeting of the Fraser Valley Teen Town Association.

Teen Towns are youth groups similar to the Victoria Teen Club, which is affiliated with the movement. Teen Towns are organized as cities in miniature with mayors, aldermen, police chiefs and constables. There are about 80 of these groups in B.C.

The party is under the supervision of Jack A. Hutchings, Vancouver Sun assistant Teen Town director, and Mrs. Hutchings. Also making the trip is Mrs. L. E. Reid, adult adviser to the Steveston Teen Town.

Commons Faces Showdown Battle On Government Decontrol Plans

OTTAWA (CP) — The Commons headed today into a bitter showdown battle on controls.

It had a curtain-raiser Thursday night when Justice Minister Ilsley moved a resolution preliminary to the government's "Omnibus" bill for the continuation for another year of the many controls which it believes are necessary.

Mr. Ilsley highlighted a lengthy statement with the declaration that he believed the "great bulk" of emergency controls will have been discontinued by this time next year.

LONG DEBATE FORESEEN

His action promptly touched off attacks from M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, and Hon. C. G. Power, former air minister, though on different scores, and heralded an approach of a major and perhaps lengthy debate which will open next Monday.

Mr. Coldwell followed his onslaught with a motion calling on the House to declare that the government's "headlong" decontrol policy had "depressed" the Canadian standard of living and was surrendering the future of Canada to "profiteering and monopoly."

The motion was declared out of order by Speaker Fauteux who, when his ruling was challenged by Mr. Coldwell, was upheld by a vote of 156 to 26 in a late-hour division.

Mr. Power, Liberal member for Quebec South, protested bitterly that passage of the legislation would create an "extremely dangerous" precedent which would place in the hands of another government "ready-made" legislation for the enactment of its theories.

He concluded with this classic remark:

"In other words, I don't want to be a John the Baptist for a socialistic Messiah."

The House completed clause-by-clause study of another staunchly-contested piece of control legislation—a bill to continue for another year controls on the sale and export of agricultural products.

WATCH U.S. PRICES

Agriculture Minister Gardiner said he did not know when or how price ceilings would be taken off all agricultural products, but indicated it depended largely on a reduction of prices in the United States.

Earlier, Reconstruction Minister Howe had given details of the sale of the $21,000,000 government-owned aircraft plant at Cartierville, Que., to the Electric Boat Company of New York and said the company would build some 44 aircraft for Trans-Canada Air Lines.

In the Senate, debate was opened on the government's bill for the continuation of the Canadian Wheat Board as the sole buying and selling agency of Canada's wheat crops for the purpose of fulfilling the four-year Anglo - Canadian wheat agreement.

Weather

Weather today and tomorow, valid until midnight Saturday, March 22.

Synopsis:

A storm which intensified in the vicinity of Vancouver Island during the night is bringing moderate rain to most of the southern coast. Showers are expected over the western half of the province in the moist Pacific air behind the storm.

Vancouver and vicinity lower Fraser Valley—Overcast with widely scattered rainshowers this afternoon clearing this evening. Saturday clear. Easterly winds.

Strait of Georgia — Overcast with intermittent rain becoming cloudy with rainshowers by midday. Variable cloudiness tonight. Clear Saturday. Winds northwest 15 increasing to 25 this afternoon. Colder tonight.

West Coast Vancouver Island—Cloudy occasionally overcast with intermittent drizzle, clearing during morning Saturday. Northwesterly winds. Little change in temperature.

To 9 a.m. P.S.T. Today

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Montreal	20	39	
Toronto	18	39	
North Bay	10	31	
Kenora	7	31	.04
Winnipeg	—1	32	.03
The Pas	6	31	
Regina	13	30	.01
Saskatoon	20	30	.01
Prince Albert	9	32	
Swift Current	24	34	
Medicine Hat	34	45	
Lethbridge	37	56	
Calgary	37	60	
Edmonton	33	57	
Kamloops	44	64	
Penticton	40	58	
Vancouver	43	56	.18
Cranbrook	29	55	
Crescent Valley	32	64	
Prince Rupert	38		.18
Prince George	43	51	.01
Seattle	46	64	Trace
Spokane	41	69	
Chicago	32	44	.07
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School Trustees Rescind Motion On Oriental Buying

At a special meeting of the Greater Victoria School Board held Thursday evening the trustees unanimously rescinded their Monday night motion which ordered the purchasing agent to cease buying supplies from Oriental merchants.

In a prepared statement issued after the meeting, Chairman Austin I. Curtis said: "At a meeting the Greater Victoria School Board unanimously rescinded the motion regarding purchasing from Oriental firms.

"It was not our intention to make any discrimination in respect to purchases and it is unfortunate that the motion was carried without sufficient discussion prevailing.

"The board feels that the situation regarding racial discrimination is clarified, as it is not the board's intention to sever connections with any firm involved but rather to distribute the purchase of supplies with impartiality."

Trustee Waldo Skillings moved the resolution Monday, and it passed with only Trustees A. Edmonds, B. Caley and Miss Isla Tuck in opposition.

Since then Chinese groups and the District Zone Council of the Canadian Legion have registered strong protests against the racial discrimination. Thursday evening also the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, the Chinese Benevolent Association and the Chinese Youth Association met and sent a protest to the Chinese consul-general in Vancouver.

H. O. Litchfield, Former Alderman, Dies Here, Aged 77

Henry O. Litchfield, a city alderman from 1927 to 1932, died Thursday afternoon at his family residence, 1147 Hilda Street, following an illness of more than six weeks.

Mr. Litchfield was 77 years old at the time of his death and had been a resident of Victoria for 54 years during which time he had won the respect and esteem of a wide circle of friends. He was born in Newcastle-on-Tyne, England.

During his six years as city alderman he was chairman of the lands and zoning committee for part of the time, and chairman of the city representatives on the B.C. Agricultural Association, as well as being a member of a number of other committees.

Prior to becoming a city councillor he was a school trustee in the city from 1922 to 1926.

He was very active in church affairs, being a warden at Christ Church Cathedral.

Before his retirement Mr. Litchfield was proprietor of the bookstore, Litchfield's Ltd., on Government Street. He was blind for the last 14 years of his life.

He is survived by his widow, at home, one son, Arthur, of Fowler, California; one granddaughter and two grandsons. A second son was killed in World War I.

Funeral service will be held Monday at Christ Church Cathedral at 3. Dean S. H. Elliott will officiate and burial will be in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

First Day Of Spring Not Springlike Here

Today is officially the first day of spring but in Victoria the weatherman, having given a week-long preview of beautiful springlike weather, played Victorians false and brought clouds, wind and rain today.

The forecast was for intermittent rains, becoming widely scattered in the late afternoon and clearing by tonight. The 20-mile-per-hour southeast winds of this morning were scheduled to shift to southwest by afternoon and increase in velocity to 30 miles per hour. Even the thermometer was unspringlike with colder weather promised for tonight at a minimum temperature of 37.

$81,000 Donated

YOKOHAMA (AP) — Americans in Japan contributed $81,000 to the march of dimes for infantile paralysis, Lt. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger reported today.

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Miss Bertha Parker, returned missionary, will speak and show pictures of her work in Africa, Friday, March 21, 8 o'clock. Church of the Nazarene, Graham at Hillside. ***

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The Red Shield Concert Party will give a performance at the Colwood Hall, Friday, March 21, at 8 p.m. Featured are "The Strables" and their magic, and Arthur Stringer, well-known Victoria baritone. This concert is being sponsored by the Colwood Community Club and funds are to go toward the purchase of a building for the children of the district." ***

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"The Bohemian Girl" from the the Theatre Under the Stars presented by XI Beta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, April 11, at 8.30 p.m., high school auditorium. Proceeds, Save the Children Fund and Aged Womens' Home. Tickets, $1.25 and $1.00, at Jean Burns and Diggon's. ***

Twilight recital at First Baptist Church, by Georgian Choristers, Sunday at 3. ***

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The Victoria Musical Art Society presents Grace Adams, soprano; Joan Millay, pianist; John Bray, baritone, and Grace Timp, accompanist, for their last concert of the winter series, at the Empress Hotel on Wednesday, March 26, at 8.30 p.m. Guest tickets $1.10, students 55 cents, may be had at Fletchers, Spencer's Music, and Marrionette Library. ***

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Variety Concert will be held in the Esquimalt Community Club Hall, rear of Moresby House, at 8 o'clock Saturday March 22. 25c; children 15c.

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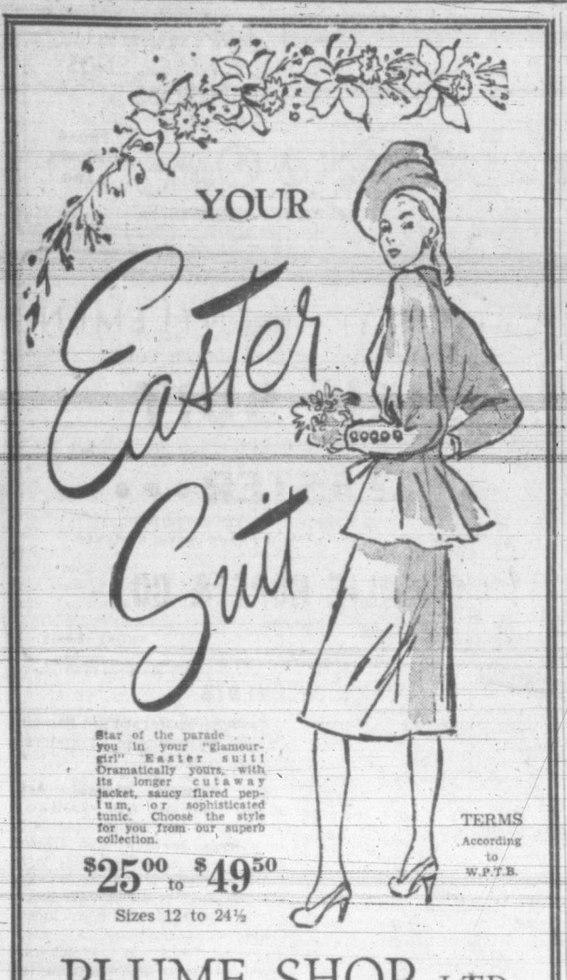

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News Of The Island

Lake Cowichan Ratepayers Seek Hospital; Call Meeting April 2

LAKE COWICHAN — Possibilities of establishment of a hospital at Lake Cowichan, will be discussed at a meeting sponsored by the Lake Cowichan Ratepayers' Association in the Community Hall, April 2.

The association has invited Percy Ward, chief inspector of hospitals for the B.C. government to speak at the meeting.

H. Dreany, a registered pharmacist, was appointed as a one-man committee by the Chamber of Commerce at the Lake, to collect data on costs of carrying out a hospital project.

Recreation Project Now Under Way At Lake Cowichan

LAKE COWICHAN — Provincial Recreation Project was the main topic of discussion at a meeting of the Lake Cowichan United Organizations recently.

This recreation enterprise will go beyond the original pro rec and include sports of all kinds, including swimming, baseball, horseshoe pitching and boxing. The sports will be open to all age groups.

A salaried instructor will divide his time between Lake Cowichan, Youbou, Camp No. 3 and Camp No. 6, with these sections helping defray the cost, part of which will be borne by the provincial government and part by the united organizations.

A dance will be held at Lake Cowichan the end of March to buy equipment for the project. Max Turner of Youbou has been appointed instructor. He was an instructor in the Canadian army.

School Board Head Urges Improvements For Rural Schools

SIDNEY—Smaller schools in the rural areas should be put in first-class condition, before new buildings or additions were considered, A. Sansbury, chairman of the District No. 3 school board urged, following a complete report on the condition of district schools presented by himself and N. McNaughton to a board meeting.

He claimed, after an inspection of the schools, that those in the inner wards were in excellent condition, but many of the smaller elementary schools were badly run down.

Referring to the request for an auditorium at Mount Newton, he gave as his opinion, that other schools needed work more urgently.

"We only have so much money to spend, an auditorium at Mt. Newton will cost between $35,000 and $40,000, Royal Oak School is in disgraceful condition, in my opinion there is only one solution to be fair to the farmers in rural areas, and to keep taxes at a sane level, Wards 5 and 6 should be part of the Victoria School District."

He further stated that many farmers were not in favor of the building of an auditorium at Mt. Newton.

Mrs. D. H. Bryce and Martin Neilson, former board members of the Saanich School District, stated that equal sums of money had been spent on inner and outer ward schools.

F. J. Baker, finance chairman, claimed that a fundamental injustice was apparent in District 63.

Sidney Man Sees Bulb Industry Here

SIDNEY—A market for 2,500,000 Easter lily bulbs in Canada was envisioned by J. H. Crossley of the Saanichton Experimental Farm, who this week spoke of the possibility of a new industry in growing of bulbs for the Easter lily trade.

He displayed a group of lilies in full bloom and said they demonstrated that lily growth is successful here. The type of bloom brought to perfection at the Experimental Farm is known as the Croft, a pot dwarf type, according to Mr. Crossley, who said it made an ideal centre piece.

The fillet around the barber's pole signifies the ribbon which was wound around the arm before the barber bled the patient.

Plan No Increase In B.C. Phone Rates, Senators Informed

OTTAWA (CP) — Assurance there will be no increase in British Columbia telephone rates as a result of the B.C. Telephone Company's proposed expansion program during the next five years was given Thursday by Gordon Farrell, Vancouver, company president, speaking before the Senate transport committee on a bill to increase the company's capital.

The committee approved the bill, which allows it an increase in authorized capital from $11,000,000 to $25,000,000.

"We have no intention at the present time of applying to the Board of Transport Commissioners to be allowed to increase rates," said Mr. Farrell, replying to a question whether—once the bill went through—the company might apply for a boost in telephone rates.

At present there are 19,000 persons waiting for telephones in B.C.

Plan Shark Hunts

ASTORIA, Ore. (AP) — Three Astoria deep-sea fishing vessels have obtained permits from the Mexican government and expect to leave soon to hunt Sharks off Cedros Island on the west coast of the Latin-American republic. About 21 U.S. vessels are expected to be granted permits to hunt sharks.

Blast Half Land For Housing Project

LAKE COWICHAN — By Saturday approximately one half of the 25 acres at the Lake, set aside for a 100-home housing project, will have been blasted.

WEST COAST ROAD MEETING

SOOKE—The West Coast Road Improvement Association will meet in Milne's Landing High School tonight at 8.

2,049 Killed So Far In Punjab Fighting

LAHORE (Reuter) — Communal rioting in the Punjab has killed 2,049 and seriously injured 1,103, authoritative sources said Thursday.

Meanwhile Moslem League supporters declared a stoppage of business in Peshawar today in protest against the arrival Wednesday of 10,000 "Redshirts"—the pro-Congress Moslem volunteer organization in the North-west Frontier Province.

The Redshirts, described as a "purely non-military organization," arrived "to restore confidence among the non-Moslem population and oppose communal violence."

Rocket Trips To Planets In Far Future Experts Say

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States Army doesn't want a base on Mars, or even the moon; it will settle for just a good guided missile.

Ordnance and research officials who read the prediction of Maj. James R. Randolph, a reserve officer, that a rocket race to build military outposts on neighboring planets might come sooner than expected, decided today that their ideas sum up this way:

"The cold, practical people here are working just to get a guided missile. Any flights to the moon or Mars are so far in the future that we give them no study or attention. We are interested only in staying ahead of competitors in time and design."

Randolph, writing for the Army Ordnance Association Journal, a non-official publication, suggested that in a third world war an attack launched from an outpost established on Mars would have "vastly greater opportunities for secrecy and surprise."

Writing in the same issue of the magazine, Lt.-Col. Harvey Rivkins, chief of the Ordnance Department's Office of Technical Information, was considerably less enthusiastic about the prospects for interplanetary travel.

Noting forecasts that it would take billions of dollars and years of research to perfect a rocket that would travel only as far as the moon, Rivkins added:

"The tremendous effort in time and money would at first result in putting a piece of metal the size of your fist on the moon even though the rocket would start off as a monster whose size would be almost impossible to handle."

Discussing advances in the U.S. army's V-2 rocket research, Rivkin said that "while we don't have a guided missile now, the V-2 has taken us along the path. There is the possibility that the prototype of a guided missile may appear within the next few months."

Canada To Build Own Jet Planes?

OTTAWA (CP) — Reconstruction Minister Howe disclosed in Commons Thursday afternoon Canada is conducting experiments in the design of jet-propelled engines and planes at Malton, Ont., near Toronto.

His statement threw new light on Canadian aeronautical developments.

Defence Minister Claxton recently said Canada hoped to have Vampire jet-propelled planes for her permanent R.C.A.F. squadrons this year if they were delivered. He did not say from where they would come, but the Malton development program is believed to be the answer.

In other words, Canada hopes to make her own jets.

2 Fliers Die In Crash; 5 Missing

LONDON (AP) — The air ministry today announced an R.A.F. Lancaster plane, engaged in naval co-operation exercises, had crashed in the Atlantic Ocean north of Ireland during the night.

Four members of the nine-man crew were picked up by rescue boats, but two died later, the announcement said. The R.A.F. still was searching for the remaining five men.

Failed To Save Life

POWELL RIVER, B.C. (CP)—A 16-mile trip to hospital failed to save the life of Bud Wagner, 45, who was fatally injured Wednesday in a logging accident here.

Britain To Keep Armed Services At Present Size

LONDON (Reuter) — Defence Minister Alexander told the Commons Thursday wartime experience had shown the British government details of the armed forces published in prewar defence estimates "were dangerous to us and of the utmost value to our enemies."

Alexander was answering criticism of the government's failure to reveal Britain's exact armed strength.

The Defence Minister also said that, pending United Nations settlement of the Palestine problem, British troops would remain in the Holy Land to preserve law and order.

"Since the mandate for Palestine is ours, that is our responsibility," Alexander told the House.

Alexander also served notice there would be no wholesale slashing of Britain's armed forces, either at home or in other parts of the world.

Asking for approval of defence plans, he told critics of the government's conscription program that the United Nations was still too weak for Britain safely to trim her armed forces below 1,072,000 men.

Church Asks Action To Supply Housing

TORONTO (CP)—Federal government action to end housing difficulties was urged Thursday by the board of evangelism and social service of the United Church of Canada.

"Housing in Canada from coast to coast reveals a vast lag in urban and rural communities, in growing centres and hinterlands, in mining towns, lumber towns, port towns, residential centres and summer resorts, in jails, asylums; hospitals, infirmaries, in shacktowns, hutments, basements and attics, business blocks and downtown zones," said Rev. Hugh Robson, D.D., of Vancouver, associate secretary of the board.

Tax Gamblers

VANCOUVER (CP) — Gambling establishment operators must declare their winnings and pay taxes, income tax officials said Thursday.

The question aroused public interest after self-confessed gambler Louis Tisman testified before the police commission that the income tax department had full details of his earnings.

Forty per cent of the time devoted by the average newspaper reader to his dailies is spent on content other than news, according to a survey by Time Magazine.

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Accountants Meet

Members of the Society of Industrial Accountants of B.C. (Victoria Chapter) held their March meeting at the Strathcona Hotel. After dinner, J. A. Whan, "Excise Tax" regulations and various features of the Sales and "Excise Tax" Regulations and how to determine the correct interpretation of the act.

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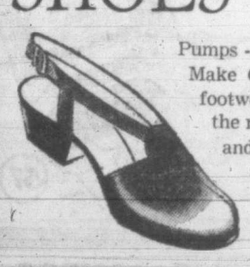

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UNIFORM ASSESSMENT OVERDUE

HAD FURTHER EVIDENCE BEEN REquired to prove Mr. Carl Goldenberg's statement of "the need for improvement and for new machinery" to establish municipal assessments on a uniform and equitable basis, events of recent days in Greater Victoria have provided it. Following the severe cut in Esquimalt assessment as the result of a court decision reducing the taxable valuation of Yarrows Ltd., the community is now watching Oak Bay's readjustments to avoid what that municipality deems an unfair allocation of costs to finance education.

Little purpose will be served by discussing the logic of Oak Bay's action, which bewilders the city and Saanich because the eastern municipality, following a year of unusual building development, is slashing the assessment. Such a course may not be one to inspire confidence in those other districts which share the burden of educational financing for the Greater Victoria area. Many explanations might be given. The fact remains, however, that a satisfactory arrangement can scarcely be expected while the opportunity exists for any one of the four partners to amend its taxable real estate values in a manner that can work a hardship on any other.

What seems to be required is an independent commission having no special interest in any district, but capable of presenting an unbiased assessment fair to all concerned. The problem confronting this community will, of course, disappear when amalgamation is effected. Until that is achieved, however, some over-riding authority is needed to assure justice to taxpayers in the separate entities.

Mr. Goldenberg, in his discussion of assessments in the report presented to the Provincial Government, stated he made no recommendations "since, under an amendment to the 'Public Schools Act' in 1946, a Commission is soon to be appointed 'to inquire into and report on the assessed value of land and improvements in all parts of the province and to recommend such ways and means as are deemed equitable for the establishment of an equalized assessment'."

The urgency of that need is emphasized by conditions existing in Greater Victoria today. Until it is met, amelioration can come only from a willingness of all municipalities included in the Greater Victoria school district to work co-operatively toward the solution of the difficulty. If voluntary action along that line is not successful, it would appear that some higher authority will have to step in and fix the basis more definitely for the apportionment of costs.

WILL TOLERATE NO SUPPRESSION

BRITISH COLUMBIA'S LAWMAKERS are told by the morning paper that they should have something "more practical" to do with their time than to argue "compulsory voting," that "there is no argument in it in so far as the majority of the electors are concerned," that "they don't want it," and "won't have it." Then our contemporary adds this note of finality to its alleged reading of the minds of the voters: "They will turn out of office everyone who is associated with this feeble effort to compel free men and free women in inalienable possession of a right."

Apart from the fact that it has based its objection to the idea of compulsory voting on extremely shaky premises, entirely ignoring public knowledge of the impressive response to the select committee's questionnaire, the Colonist appears to arrogate to itself the right to define what is practical and how and when the elected representatives of the people shall discuss it in the provincial forum. And when it assumes to speak on behalf of "the majority of electors" of British Columbia, whether it be on the subject of compulsory voting or any other matter involving the inalienable right of free discussion, it woefully misreads the dominant political outlook of this Dominion. Mid-Victorian Toryism is as extinct as the dodo.

We are obviously much more concerned with the right to resist editorial or any other form of dragooning than we are with the merits or demerits of compulsory voting. But our contemporary's confident assertion that the electors will turn out of office everyone "associated with this feeble effort to compel free men and free women in inalienable possession of a right" is a type of implied threat which belongs to a discredited totalitarian philosophy. The morning paper should recall the Voltaire dictum: "I disagree with everything that you say; but I will fight to the death to preserve your right to say it." What the voters do to their elected representatives when they give an account of their stewardship is, of course, the voters' own business.

By the same token, it is the privilege of the Colonist to say what it likes in defence of even its own extraordinary conception of the needs and trends of the times. But it must not be surprised if it encounters a revulsion of feeling when it pontificates from its Olympian heights and warns men and women in public office that they use their time and talents in the discussion of only such matters as shall be determined for them or suffer the consequences. Happily for our democratic system, however, the voice of suppression in any form is a small one crying in the wilderness.

SPEAKING FOR THE MAJORITY

IN PRESIDENT TRUMAN'S FRANK EXposition of United States foreign policy there was a reference, possibly insufficiently emphasized, to the fact that such action as he advocated had to be taken because the organization of the United Nations was not completed sufficiently to prevent the deterioration of countries unable to stem the tide of economic chaos—of which those anxious for political domination would probably take advantage.

There has been considerable criticism of unilateral action by this or that country seeking to buttress itself against the obvious results of such deterioration. There is, for instance, a United Nations commission in Greece examining the whole situation; but its report cannot come before the Security Council or the Assembly for some weeks. In the meantime, however, those anxious to stimulate revolution might accelerate their efforts so as to bring about a fact accomplished according to their desire. These belligerent minorities know perfectly well that when a properly organized United Nations "police force" is established, their technique will be subjected to the scrutiny of the International Court of Justice.

Thus every possible means of delaying such analysis or of avoiding the establishment of the jurisdiction of the vast majority of the nations, is merely part and parcel of promoting world revolution. As President Truman said, the United States is the only nation completely in the position of acting and speaking for that majority.

FIRM OR TOUGH?

NOTHING SEEMS TO TYPIFY THE mood of the Moscow Conference better than the tight wartime security that the American delegation is maintaining. Stories from the Soviet capital tell of rigid precautions against spies, heavy military guards, and admonitions to delegation members to keep their mouths shut, avoid telephone conversations, and burn all "trash."

Such behavior at a meeting of victorious and nominally friendly allies might seem cynical. But the situation has gone beyond cynicism. It is a very grim realism that has prompted these American measures, and probably similar measures by the other three powers. It seems clear from this and other signs, moreover, that the United States is now going to play the game by Russian rules. President Truman and Secretary Marshall—likewise Mr. Bevin and M. Bidault—will keep on trying for a just and peaceful solution of international problems. But the fiction of pleasant relations between the American and Soviet governments seems to have been dropped.

Obviously the conferees at Moscow will try to make a start toward deciding whether there is to be one Germany or two. In the meantime, however, Mr. Truman's request for loans to Greece and Turkey is a new step in Washington diplomacy. It is a direct move against possible Russian expansion. In other words, the United States is being firm with Russia. This may not be quite the same thing as being tough with Russia. It is rather the declaration of an intent which had only been implied before. There is, however, one disturbing factor about this latest move. That is the likelihood that our neighbor's physical strength is not going to match her diplomatic firmness. Nor will this be the first time that there has been a discrepancy between words and potential deeds. Throughout 1941 the United States government's attitude was one of open, active support of Hitler's enemies and a courageous defiance of Axis threats. The only trouble was that there was practically no military backing for this righteous stand.

On the other hand, the Washington administration had seldom been more amiable and conciliatory in the face of controversy than it was at the end of the war, when her military and industrial strength was supreme in the world. The government now seems intent upon enforcing the territorial status quo in Europe and the Near and Middle East. This will require a strong as well as a determined stand. If the Soviet leaders are to be discouraged from their evident desire to communize and control most of the earth, they will probably have to be convinced that it is utter folly to attempt it.

ERROR CORRECTED

GREATER VICTORIA'S SCHOOL TRUSTees lost no time in rescinding the discriminatory motion passed Monday night against city merchants of Chinese ancestry. It will be hoped that the aggrieved section of the community will harbor no resentment over the earlier thoughtless action. The incident was regrettable in the extreme. It may not, however, have been without some positive value. It disclosed a public alertness to the necessity of defending democratic rights and revealed to those residents of Chinese origin the fact that they have many friends in this city anxious to see that they are subjected to no intolerance. The School Board has been quick to correct an error. Confidence in its moral integrity has been restored.

Bruce Hutchison

QUOTAS AND SUBSIDIES

MORE damaging to the flow of trade than tariffs, which may be surmounted, are quotas which can totally dam up the movement of goods. Nations which restrict imports to a fixed volume of goods can stimulate their own exports by the opposite device of subsidies. Both these methods demoralize trade and leave it exposed to the changing whims and sudden interventions of governments. Against such dangers the proposed world trade charter seeks to erect detailed safeguards.

In general the charter outlaws quantitative restrictions on imports. It provides that nations may retard imports only by tariffs and taxes. But on examination the charter is seen to provide wide exemptions from this rule. Here, as in the case of tariff preferences, the draughtsmen were compelled to modify principles to meet practical politics for it was clear that the nations would not abandon outright the power to apply import quotas to protect their vital interests.

HENCE QUOTAS on imports (or exports) are permitted during the postwar transitional period to govern products in short supply, to maintain price control during this time of shortage and to liquidate stocks of goods piled up by governments during the war. These are temporary exemptions but there is a permanent exemption for intergovernmental commodity agreements (as for example, the proposed world wheat agreement) which are authorized by the charter. Much more significant and, so far as Canada is concerned, much more disturbing is another exemption inserted by the United States for the obvious purpose of protecting its farm and fishing industries.

Under the clause proposed by the United States, strongly resisted by Canada but finally accepted to satisfy the American Government, a nation may apply quantitative restrictions on imports of agricultural or fishery products at any time to make good its own domestic economic policies.

THUS A NATION may apply a quota to these products if it is attempting to limit the production and sale of similar products at home; or if it has such a surplus of these products that it is giving them away to its poorer citizens or selling them to such people below the market price. However, the quota shall not reduce the total amount of imports below their normal relative relation to domestic production.

Obviously this provision raises serious problems for Canada since under it the United States could impose quotas on some of the products which Canada chiefly desires to sell to its neighbors. It has to be remembered, however, that while the United States is allowed by the charter to impose such a formidable trade barrier against Canadian farm and fish products—a barrier entirely inconsistent with the whole purpose of the charter—it could not do this in violation of a treaty. In negotiating a new trade treaty with the United States Canada naturally will seek to protect itself from the sudden imposition of quotas; and the trade charter presumably will not be accepted by Canada or other nations until the safeguards of such tariff treaties are known.

THE RULE against quantitative restrictions is relaxed to cover the case of nations which fall into serious exchange difficulties—that is, where a nation is importing more than it can pay for in foreign currencies. In such cases elaborate rules are established to allow the distressed nation temporary rights to quotas. But in the use of quotas the International Trade Organization must be consulted and it can prohibit the abuse of these devices. In general if a nation applies a quota it must apply it to all other nations alike without discrimination. It can discriminate with the approval of the Trade Organization only when it is clearly in exchange difficulties.

The charter seeks to eliminate export subsidies altogether over a reasonable period. In general, signatories agree not to subsidize exports to stimulate their sale abroad. Where a nation's domestic subsidies adversely affect other nations it agrees to discuss with these nations the possibility of limiting the subsidies. Specifically each signator agrees to avoid all subsidies or any secret device which results in the sale of its product more cheaply in the world market than at home. This prohibition will come into effect three years after the adoption of the charter.

NATONS MAY apply to the Trade Organization for a temporary extension of their subsidy arrangements. Where all international attempts have failed to prevent the development of a "burdonsome world surplus" of a primary product the prohibition against subsidies may be temporarily lifted. Finally all signatories agree to avoid any export subsidy which would acquire for them a larger share of world trade in any product than they enjoyed before. They cannot use subsidies under any circumstances to "blast" their way into foreign markets.

All these provisions are likely to conflict with the policies of a nation which embarks, like Britain (and Canada in some measure) on programs of state trading. How the charter proposed to govern state trading will be outlined in the next article.

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There is only one road to disarmament. That is the road of genuine collective security and genuine international control of all armaments and of armed forces.—Warren Austin, U.S. delegate to U.N.

The Reason A Diagnosis Takes So Long

Treaty Of Dunkerque—Accord Of Desires

By ALBERT MOUSSET

(Albert Mousset is one of the foremost historians in France today. He is a specialist in European problems, has written a number of books about the Balkans, Central Europe and last year published a history of Russia which was acclaimed by the critics. The following article on the Treaty of Dunkerque gives something of the reaction to the treaty in France.)

THE CHOICE of Dunkerque, for the signing of the "Alliance Cordiale" between France and Britain is symbolic. There is not a city in the whole of France that recalls more eloquently the historic vicissitudes in the relations between the two countries.

One of the very first Franco-British alliances, that of Mazarin and Cromwell, gave Dunkerque to England after she had reconquered it from the Spaniards. But if this alliance lost it to France, it was restored by another. Louis XIV gave instructions to his Ambassador d'Estrades in London to arrange person to person-Kingdom to Kingdom negotiations with Charles I. The result was that France regained Dunkerque by purchase and the King of France entered the city on December 2, 1662. Marshall Vauban, the King's chief military engineer put 30,000 men to work on fortifying the port and building its docks. But in 1711 a secret accord was arranged between the two courts and one condition was the destruction of the fortifications of the city—the clause being later inserted in the treaty of Utrecht. Thus the ups and downs of the old city's past is a faithful image of the alternating hostilities and reconciliations of the two peoples.

MAJOR EVENT

Today the Treaty of Dunkerque is inscribed as a major event in the city's history. It ties the destinies of the two countries together for half a century to come. The equilibrium of their strength has always been the object of French policy. In the 12th century, Suger, minister under Louis VI and Louis VII, defined this equilibrium in concise terms: "It is neither legal nor natural for France to be subordinated to England—or England to France."

Thus, in 1947, on a footing of perfect equality, the two countries have decided to pool their risks and their security. The consequences of this accord are incalculable; they overflow—and by a very great deal—the framework of an alliance in the sense the word intended in the outmoded diplomacies of the past.

END OF "INSULARITY"

So far as England is concerned it marks the end of that "insularity" which was for many centuries as much of a reality to British psychology as her geography. For France, it constitutes a decisive token of peace. Contemporary history has shown both countries that they agree profoundly in periods of international crisis but that their "entente" always arrives too late to prevent the catastrophes and nothing remains for them to do but to mingle their blood on the battlefields of Europe. This time they do not intend to let themselves be surprised by events. The automatism of the obligations stipulated by the treaty excludes any possible divergence of interpretation or delay in action. The reference to the Charter of the United Nations puts these obligations well within the framework of the general organization of peace and only adds to its strength. Messrs. George Bidault and Ernest Bevin, whose names will thus remain forever associated in this treaty, have said everything there is to say on the advantages that will accrue to international order from the Alliance. The new status of Europe is forming under our eyes and tends to unite the will and effort of all the pacific peoples in keeping Germany from once more returning to her mad dreams of European hegemony.

NO LONGER RIVALS

The Alliance offers other aspects. France and England have many interests which cross and recross in many parts of the world. They are no longer rivals as they were at the beginning of the century. It now becomes necessary to take a step forward and put all these interests in harmony, not only between themselves, but in harmony too with the general evolution of the world which demands the renouncing of outworn colonial ideas and customs of political domination. No "entente" could be more fruitful than that of two peoples who will pool their common capital of experience and their civilizing mission.

In the economic order the results that may be expected of this alliance are no less decisive and important. The era of aggressive struggle for the conquest of world markets is completed—they can no longer lead to anything except disorder and war. Then economic solidarity must inevitably accompany political solidarity. No doubt this will need time and effort, even experimental trial and error. But the desire to succeed is felt equally in Paris and in London and the logic of the French and the empiricism of the British will know, through mutual association, how to work out solutions for stabilizing their collaboration.

From the psychological point of view, this collaboration also offers a specific aspect that merits being emphasized. France has a "cult" for things that are written down—in other words, texts. England more willingly attaches herself to the "spirit" of pacts. She brings to her respect of international stipulations the scruples of a gentleman—that is, to adhere to the "letter" of his private obligations. These two conceptions which interpenetrate are complementary to one another give the Alliance a special virtue. The word "cordial," which does not figure in the vocabulary of classic diplomacy, gives it a moral significance which exceeds the rigidity of its juridical ties.

The Treaty of Dunkerque is an accord of two profound desires rather than of two foreign policies.

Letters To The Editor

TO PRESS FOR MORE

It has been stated in the Legislature that "There is not a province in Canada that wants what we want" in regard to Old Age Pensions. If this is true, and I believe that it may be, then it is clear that British Columbia must approach the other provinces and endeavor to unify all requests in respect to pension.

All provinces are not so well organized as we are, in fact we are informed that Ontario (a very rich province) has no organization to further the interests of pensioners. This is the first hurdle we shall have to face in gaining our objective. If we are not successful, then the only alternative will be for the province to continue and increase the cost-of-living bonus. Prices are still rising and our old people are still suffering; housing conditions are appalling.

While we may well be proud that our province has been the first to grant a measure of relief, it is not sufficient. We must press for more, making our first demands upon Ottawa.

DOROTHY SPURR,
Secretary, Old Age Pensions Campaign Council.

DISCRIMINATION

I have been greatly shocked to read, in the daily press of today's date, of the action of the Greater Victoria School Board in adopting a motion made by Trustee Waldo Skillings, that in future all board purchases should be made from "white" firms. It is indicated that the motion had its origin in the passage of a small account in payment of vegetables purchased from a Chinese firm.

As we have just concluded a weary war supposedly fought that democratic principles might prevail, it is peculiarly disheartening to find that those in a position to influence the attitudes of young people should have taken such a retrogressive step. I think of Victoria High School, where the Honor Roll in the entrance-way indicates that Canadian pupils of Chinese background have led the school in a number of years. Why should there be discrimination against purchase from firms owned by persons of this background, when there is to be no discrimination against proprietors of Polish, Greek, Scottish, or other origin? The Chinese, like the others, have become good Canadians. Educational leaders should be working to see that these people get the vote, rather than using their lack of a vote as a basis for further discrimination.

The board would be wise to reconsider its action. In any case, parents and voters should take note, with a view to casting their ballots in the next election against those who have displayed an attitude we should hate to see perpetuated in our children.

(MRS.) CLARE McALLISTER

CLIPPED at RANDOM

WHO WANTS TO BE A FISH

Edmonton Bulletin

Somewhere, it seems, there is always a scientist bobbing up to give people the jitters. The latest of these contributors to uneasiness is Dr. Walton Smith, of the marine laboratory at the university of Miami.

He says that if wars do not keep down the world's population our descendents 150 years from now will all be vegetarians. There won't, he says, be any food to spare for animals about 2,100 A.D. And if no animals, there won't be any meat on the world's tables.

Still, the doctor has one "out" for the meat-eater who doesn't want to live on "rabbit food". He has found a meat-substitute, in the ocean. It is a microscopic creature called a plankton. Fish live on these minute organisms, and he suggests humans might also be able to do it.

K-K-K-KATIE DEPORTED

Winnipeg Free Press

Dangerous symptoms of the bourgeois mentality have been discovered among the sailors of the Russian navy. The official naval newspaper, "Red Fleet," is appalled to find that sailors in the Pacific squadrons have been singing "Tipperary" and "There is a Tavern in a Town."

But something worse is happening in the Black Sea fleet. There the high command finds the sailors actually singing "K-K-K-Katie," which apparently is regarded as the battlesong of the capitalist encirclement.

"Tipperary" was sung in the first war against Russia's enemy, Germany. Surely that fact ought to establish its respectability with our Ally. The Russians may not believe it but that girl Katie was never suspected here of reactionary principles. And Katie, alas, is dead.

VETERANS AT WORK

The Ottawa Journal

One of the most interesting publications which come to this desk is Veterans Affairs, published twice monthly by the Department of Veterans Affairs—interesting because of the glimpses it gives the reader of the success with which our ex-servicemen are finding their niches (often making them) in civilian life.

The courage of the battlefield, translated into the more prosaic fields of business and industry, has given them the spirit to meet and conquer difficulties often complex and quite new to their experience.

It is to the credit of D.V.A., also, that it has not hesitated to encourage and support unorthodox enterprises, if seemingly soundly based, by ex-servicemen. There is a fluidity about D.V.A. policy in these matters, combined with the necessary practical viewpoint, which seems to be working to admirable purpose.

Labor And Franco

Norway Digest

Norwegian Seamen's Union president Ingvald Haugen, M.P., returned to Oslo on March 4 following conference with international labor leaders in England and France regarding possible retaliatory action in the event Norwegian ships are barred from Spanish ports.

Together with Konrad Nordahl, president of the Norwegian Trade Union Federation, Haugen has conferred with leaders of the International Transport Workers Union, British Transport Workers, the International Federation of Trade Unions, the French Tranport Workers, and with Labor Minister Gomez of the Spanish Exile Government.

MORAL SUPPORT

In a press conference, Haugen noted that both British and International Transport leaders differentiate sharply between joint labor action to unseat Franco and a labor move which might aid Norway. International labor action to unseat Franco was termed impossible at the present time and could only be instituted at the behest of the United Nations. Regarding international labor support to Norway, however, all labor groups with the exception of the French Transport Workers were in positive agreement. Spanish moves to bar Norwegian shipping were regarded as a threat to the freedom of the seas, and an attempt to take revenge on a small democracy. The French group, on the other hand, refused to support the entry of Norwegian ships into Spanish ports. France has already severed commercial relations with Spain and is not interested in aiding Norway or any other nation in this manner. As to commercial limitations, Norway is one of the few nations which has reduced its trade with Spain following the war. Commerce has been cut from 30 million to 5 million kroner.

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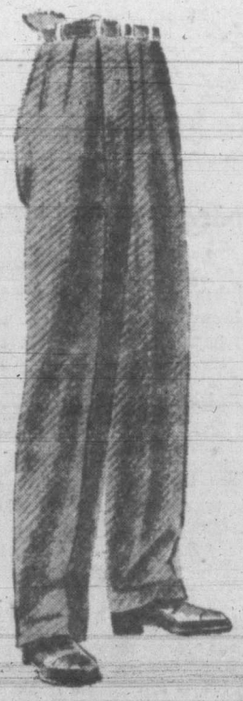

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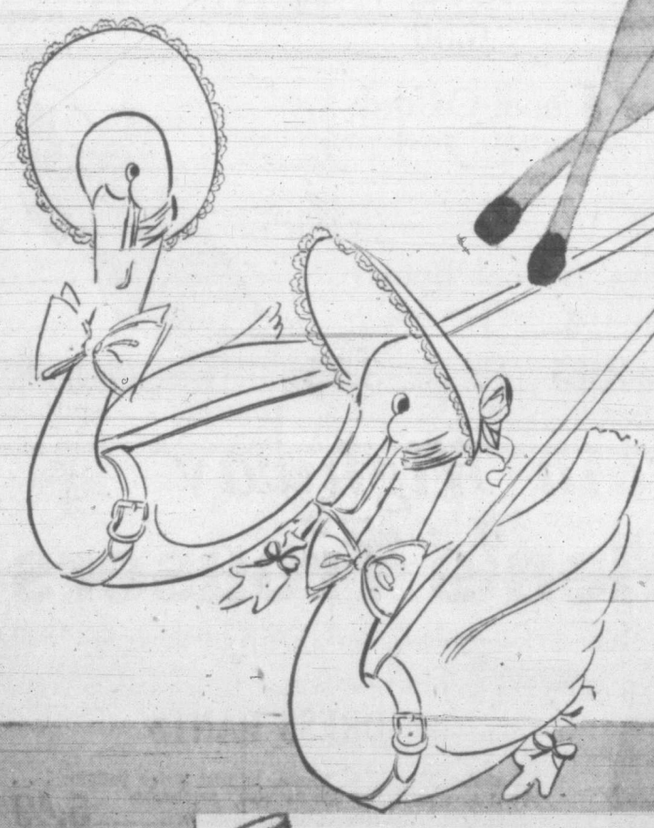

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PATSY'S velvet-trimmed coat and bonnet set is pastel wool. Sizes 1 to 3 ..... **8.75**

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Her hat is a felt roller in pink, blue, yellow, red, brown, navy **1.98**

JANE has one of the new dressy coats in wool crepe fabric. Choice of spring colors. Sizes 12 to 14x **19.98**

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GLORIA wears a bolero suit of all wool in red, powder, fuchsia, turquoise. Sizes 10 to 14 ..... **10.98**

Her hat is a nifty little "scotty" style in red, beige, wine and paddy **1.98**

FRAN'S collarless suit is all wool, too, and comes in red, green, brown, blue, petunia. Sizes 10 to 14 ..... **10.98**

She wears a classic felt hat shown in good range of colors **1.98**

SPUD wears a wonderful cotton wash suit that comes in soft summer shades. Sizes 1 to 3 ..... **2.25**

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CORKY'S skirt is a gay tartan. It also comes in plain shades. Sizes 2 and 3 ..... **2.50**

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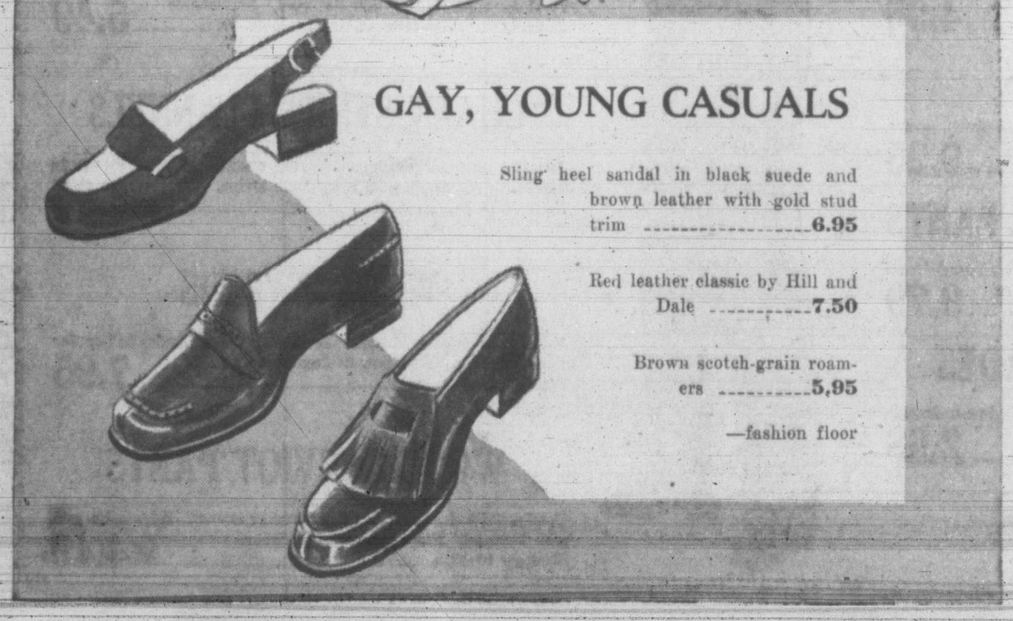

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Change Date For Veterans' Hospital Opening To April 8

Stanley H. Okell, assistant district administrator for the Department of Veterans' Affairs on the island, announced today that the opening of the new, modern 250-bed Veterans' Hospital on Richmond Avenue, will be held on the afternoon of April 8, instead of the next day as originally reported.

Attending the opening of the $1,000,000 institution will be Rt. Hon. Ian Mackenzie, Minister of Veterans' Affairs, with R. W. Mayhew, M.P., unveiling the plaque, the ceremony starting at 3.

Mr. Okell reported that present plans call for the transferring of some of the patients at the Gordon Head Health and Occupational Centre to the hospital on Monday. The Gordon Head site will be utilized by the Citizens' Rehabilitation Council to provide 225 family units for families of war veterans. Last week they applied to the Central Housing and Loan Corporation for a $30,000 loan to accomplish this objective.

The D.V.A. administrator reported that Dr. C. A. Watson, a World War II overseas hospital commander, will be in charge of the new hospital, which is equipped with the latest medical and surgical devices to serve the treatment needs of Vancouver Island war veterans.

E. G. Drage, who has been resident superintendent of the Gordon Head centre, will be the veterans' hospital manager.

Two persons who neglected to have radio licenses, were fined $2.50 and $1 costs each in city police court today when $144 was paid in small fines, chiefly for traffic violations.

"English Church Music" was the subject of an address by R. H. C. Palmer at a meeting of the Victoria branch of the B.C. Music Teachers' Association on Wednesday morning at the Y.W.C.A. Mr. Palmer gave a review of organ and choral works, covering a period of approximately 400 years of music in the English tradition. During the business meeting, which followed, arrangements were made for a concert to be given by Paul de Marky, Hungarian-Montreal pianist, April 10, at Victoria High School auditorium.

Elks Dedicate New Home

—Island Events Photo.

Bob Begg, Exalted Ruler of Victoria Elks Lodge, is shown presenting a symbolic key to Harrison Peile, Grand Exalted Ruler of Elks in Canada and Newfoundland, at the official dedication of the new Elks' Home on Cormorant Street, which was held Thursday night. Delegates from Regina, Kamloops, Edmonton, Vancouver, Courtenay, Port Alberni, Nanaimo and Duncan were present for the dedication ceremonies which were officially opened when Claude Howard, Past Exalted Ruler of the Victoria Lodge and president of the building committee handed the key of the building to Grand Exalted Ruler Peile, who opened the doors and let the members enter. Later at the Lodge session the Grand Exalted Ruler dedicated the building for the betterment of Elkdom in Canada and Newfoundland.

S.P.C.A. Cruelty Charge Against Belgian Who Admits Hanging Dogs

Jeanne Mueller, Cordova Bay, who said he had hanged over 1,000 dogs in his native Belgium, noting it was one of the recognized methods of killing canines in that country, appeared in Saanich Police Court Thursday charged on information laid by the S.P.C.A. with causing unnecessary suffering to a dog by hanging.

Magistrate Henry C. Hall remanded the case until next week on completion of the trial to seek authorities on whether this type of death-dealing was allowed in Canada, also whether hanging a dog caused more suffering than the gas chamber or shooting.

Inspector John L. Weeks of the S.P.C.A. said he had attended at accused's home following information received. He had met Mr. Mueller, who had admitted hanging his dog. The S.P.C.A. official secured the body and found the dog's neck broken. Cruelty, he said, was not in the actual breaking of the neck, but the preliminaries of the hanging would cause the suffering.

W. J. Smith, a former inspector of the S.P.C.A., said he had known Mueller for some years. He had seen dog-hangings once in England and a couple of times in Alberta and understood it to be the common practice in Belgium. Mr. Smith said accused was a great lover and fancier of dogs, had at one time made a 12,000-mile trek across Canada and back, starting from Edmonton, accompanied by a pair of dogs.

METHOD EXPLAINED

Taking the stand, Mueller said that he carried his dog, which had become a chicken thief among other faults, in his arms to a tree to which a hanging rope had already been affixed so that in the death-drop the dog's body would be free of the ground. He said he got up on a stump, about three feet high, put the noose around the dog's neck, raised it up and let it drop.

"There was no suffering on the part of the animal," Mueller said in broken English, "because his teeth were not showing." Accused said the officer of the society had not asked him how he carried out the hanging and where. Mueller said he had been connected with dogs for 43 years, had bred many.

Mr. Sinnott called for dismissal of the case against his client on the grounds there had been no proof presented of cruelty to the animal.

Parks Department Spraying To Kill Weeds And Pests

The city parks department is already on the job with spraying machines in an effort to curb insect pests which destroy the beauty of trees, shrubs and grass on boulevards and parks W. H. Warren, parks superintendent, said today.

The spray being used now is a dormant spray on boulevard trees. A little later the spraying with arsenate of lead to kill tent caterpillars will be started, as soon as the trees begin to leaf out.

Mr. Warren explained that last year the caterpillars got out of control before the department was able to start any extensive straying because of non-delivery of the power spray. With the earlier start this year, he was confident that the destructive caterpillars would be kept under control.

The parks department is also using the new wonder weed-killer 2-4-D on park lawns and greens to eradicate dandelions and other weeds with marked success, he said. One spraying of Macdonald Park has been completed and the entire expanse of grass is almost entirely weedless now. He said that a second spraying would be given shortly.

Canada's ambassador-designate to China, T. C. Davis, will arrive in Victoria from Vancouver on Sunday, it was learned today. While here, he will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Alley, Ten-Mile Point.

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Phytopatholocical Society Formed

Botanists and plant pathologists of Lower Vancouver Island have organized a Victoria section of the Canadian Phytopathoglical Society. Officers chosen are: President, Walter Jones, Saanichton; secretary, P. J. Salisbury, Victoria, and counsellor, W. R. Foster, Victoria.

Dr. D. C. Buckland, forest pathologist, discussed at the meeting the fungi causing decay in western red cedar.

The next meeting of the society will be at the B.C. Academy of Science conference at the University of British Columbia, April 25.

To Destroy Big Gun

HAMBURG (Reuter)—Krupps' 31-inch siege gun—largest in the world—will be destroyed in Essen next week, it was reported today. A number of other heavy guns also will be destroyed.

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Vacation Trip Commences Saturday

Miss Barbara Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hill, Hewlett Place, leaves on Saturday for eastern Canada, where she will be the guest of her aunt and uncle, Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Brooks, in Montreal, later going on to Ottawa to visit her cousins, Maj. and Mrs. Geoffrey Brooks. En route home she will spend some time in Cleveland, Ohio, Saskatoon and Edmonton, returning to Victoria in about a month's time.

Personals

Canada's Ambassador-designate to China and Mrs. T. C. Davis will come from Vancouver on Sunday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Alley, 2816 Seaview Road, Ten Mile Point, for a few days. They will return to the Mainland on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Alley will entertain with an after-five party Tuesday in honor of their guests.

Capt. and Mrs. H. S. Rogers will arrive in Victoria Monday afternoon from England to visit Capt. Roger's mother, Mrs. H. B. Rogers, 686 St. Patrick Street.

Mrs. E. R. Mainguy, who has been visiting friends in eastern Canada for the past two months, will return to her home at H.M.C. Dockyard, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Kerr, formerly of Cedar Hill Road, with their daughter Roma, left Thursday afternoon for Seattle, en route to San Francisco from where they will sail on the "Marine Phoenix" for Sydney, Australia, to make their home.

Mrs. Dorothy Jagger who recently returned to the city from England was entertained by friends last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Ken Wills, 653 Grenville Street. A corsage bouquet and a gift were presented to the honor guest on arrival. Others present were Mesdames D. McPherson, E. Jones, C. Quest, A. Griffin, J. Burbridge, K. Rowlandson and J. Griffin.

Word has been received by Col. and Mrs. J. K. Cornwall, "The Oaks," 2275 Oak Bay Avenue, of the arrival in Shanghai of their daughter, Mrs. G. F. W. Hudson, who left Victoria late in January to join her husband in China. Capt. and Mrs. Hudson will make their home for the present at Wuhu, where Capt. Hudson is attached to the Chinese Maritime Customs.

Mrs. Percy C. Richards and Mrs. W. Jeeves entertained Wednesday evening at the home of the latter, 3035 Balfour Avenue, to honor Miss Muriel Penhallurick, an April bride-elect. On behalf of the assembled guests, a breakfast set was presented to the honor guest with a gardenia corsage bouquet Her mother, Mrs. W. Penhallurick received carnations en corsage. Others present were Mesdames A. McCoubrey, W. McCoubrey, J. M. Smith, V. Ross, J. Ozard, Libby, D. McDougal, G. Travers, Roberts and M. Webb.

Mrs. Colin Martin, 2131 Central Avenue, with Mrs. Ernest Evans entertained 13 guests at a bridge social recently. Presiding at the tea urns were Mesdames W. Brynjolfson and Eric Greville Jones. Guests included Mesdames H. A. Beckwith, P. B. Bennett, G. Cumming, F. Fairey, D. Frith, H. S. Jones, T. Lumsden, G. Reid, P. Richards, J. D. Smith and J. L. Thacker. The affair is one in a series sponsored by the Monterey P.T.A.

Honoring Miss Doris Tams, a miscellaneous shower was held at the Wishbone Grill recently by Miss Ruby Bickerdike. The honored guest and her mother were presented with corsage bouquets of primroses, roses and heather and the gifts were arranged in a large basket decorated in primrose and pink trimmed with silver. Games were played with Miss E. Little the winner. Other guests were Mesdames T. Tams, H. T. Bickerdike, T. B. Robinson, E. Matthews, Misses O. Baker, E. Mitchell, M. Muth, E. M. Neate, P. Smirl, M. Tams, M. Wallis, and P. Yeamans.

Following the sod-turning ceremony for the parish hall for St. David's-by-the-Sea Church, Cordova Bay, at which Lieutenant-Governor Charles A Banks officiated, a reception was held at McMorran's by ladies of the St. David's-by-the-Sea Guild. A bouquet of spring flowers, were presented to Mrs. Banks by Carol Andrew and Althea Dyer. Spring flowers decorated the long table where Mesdames A. E. Taylor, K. M. Lewis, K. R. Genn and Fred Smith poured tea. Guild members acting as serviteurs were Mesdames A. E. Miller, J. Walker, R. Sinkinson, B. Dyer, Noel Andrew, R. Ronald, Stevenson, Sears, J. Weatherell, F. Pottage, Grainger, C. Hill and Misses Mildred French and Shirley Nelson. During the afternoon members of the community were introduced to Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Banks and Bishop H. E. Sexton and Mrs. Sexton.

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Legislative Tea At Empress Hotel

Mrs. L. H. Eyres, left, wife of the Minister of Trades and Industry is pictured with one of her guests, Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., at the afternoon tea she gave in the Elizabethan Room at the Empress Hotel, Thursday.

Among the many guests were Mrs. A. B. Ritchie, left, wife of the M.L.A. for Salmon Arm, and Mrs. W. J. Johnson, wife of the M.L.A. for Revelstoke. Mrs. Herbert Anscomb, Mrs. E. T. Kenney, and Mrs. Frank Putnam presided at the tea urns. Others assisting were Mrs. Gordon Wismer, Mrs. Norman Whittaker, Mrs. W. T. Straith, and Mrs. J. B. Munro.

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Y.P. Societies

Christ Church Cathedral — Plans for the A.Y.P. presentation to be held April 25, were discussed at the weekly meeting of the Christ Church Cathedral A.Y.P.A. meeting with president Margaret McCulloch in the chair. Jackie Johnstone reported on the interbranch badminton tournament. An executive meeting will be held Tuesday at the home of Miss Shirley Mason, 2012 Richmond Road.

Irva Hall Married In Quiet Ceremony

The marriage of Irva Victoria Hall, 303 Beechwood Avenue, daughter of the late Mrs. Josephine Hall, to Alfred Edward White, was solemnized quietly in Vancouver, March 13, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. U. Laite.

Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Kelsberg, the latter being the bride's cousin.

A wedding supper for the bridal party was held at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. MacDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. White are residing at 303 Beechwood Avenue.

Club Calendar

Women of the Moose, Victoria Chapter No. 25, annual banquet and celebration, Monday. Banquet in dining-room, Robert House, 6.30, entertainment, K. of P. Hall, 1411 Broad Street, 8.15. Members tickets, B 3464 or E 8565 . . . . Langford Women's Institute, Tuesday at 2 in the Dunford Road Hall . . . . Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., Officers meeting, Monday at 2, at headquarters. Followed by special general meeting at 2.30 for nomination and election of conveners.

Senior Afternoon Branch of Christ Church Cathedral W.A., open meeting, Monday, Memorial Hall, 2.30, Mrs. R. O. Taylor speaker.

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Mr. and Mrs. Forbes L. Finlayson, 1040 Craigdarroch Road, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Elizabeth Helen, to Edward "Ted" Joseph Sommer, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Young, 1026 Carberry Gardens. The marriage will take place at Metropolitan United Church at 8.30 on April 19.

Madge Stride Weds Raymond Douglas

Daffodils, formosa and evergreens decorated Esquimalt United Church, March 14 at 8, when marriage vows were exchanged by Madge Catherine Stride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stride, 1514 Gladstone Avenue, and Raymond John Douglas, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Douglas, 657 Head Street. Rev. James Hood solemnized the ceremony.

As she entered the church with her father, the bride's full-length veil misted over her white satin gown which was fashioned with semi-train. She carried a bouquet of red roses, carnations and lilly of the valley.

Bridal attendants gowned in spring pastels were Miss Marion McRae, maid of honor, in pink lace; Miss Beverley Moore, bridesmaid, in yellow tulle, and Miss Helen Douglas as junior bridesmaid in yellow taffeta. Spring bouquets were carried by Miss McRae and Miss Moore, while Miss Douglas carried a Colonial bouquet.

Kenneth Douglas attended the groom as best man, while Gerald Hardy and Robert Martindale acted as ushers.

At a reception held at the home of the groom's parents, guests were welcomed by the young couple assisted by their mothers. The lace-covered table was centred with a three-tier cake flanked by pink tapers.

For the honeymoon trip to Vancouver the bride wore a grey check suit with grey gabardine topcoat, black accessories and corsage bouquet of gardenias.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas are making their home in the city.

Engagements

Mrs. M. R. Knowles wishes to announce the engagement of her eldest daughter, Margaret Joan Statham, to Andrew Kenneth (Ken) Ogden, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ogden, 51 Erie Street, Victoria, B.C. The wedding will take place at 2 p.m. April 26, at St. Columba's Church.

Evening Branch, St. Saviours W.A., social at home of Mrs. W. Spedding, 700 Belton Avenue, Monday at 8.

Personals

Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps, 138 Superior Street, will have as her guest this week-end, Mrs. G. Leedham of Point Grey, Vancouver.

Mrs. D. M. McCall was a tea-hour hostess, Wednesday afternoon, at her home on Linwood Avenue. Tea was served in the dining-room overlooking the rock garden, bright with bloom. Among the guests were: Mrs. McCall's daughter, Mrs. W. F. Holdridge and her small granddaughter, Sharon; Mrs. Bichard with Wendy and Mrs. J. Blythe.

A surprise miscellaneous shower was held Thursday evening by Mrs. W. Wainwright at her home, 1647 McRae Avenue, to honor Miss Jean Craib, an April bride-elect. Guests were: Mesdames A. C. Craib, J. N. Findlay, R. Wainwright, H. Wilson, E. Kercher, A. McKay, E. Sherwin, H. Crust, E. Kearney, and Misses Betty Grooms, Betty Ellis, Marjorie Ross, Joyce Morley, Dorothy Readings, Marjorie Davies and Helen Lawson.

On the occasion of her coming marriage, Miss Marguerite Hasenfratz, a charter member of the Evening Branch of St. Martin's-in-the-Field W.A., was presented with a silver serving tray Tuesday evening, on behalf of members of that organization by Mrs. E. B. Harding, at her home, 650 Cowper Avenue. Approximately 30 guests attended. Corsage bouquets were presented to the honor guest, her mother, Mrs. J. H. Hasenfratz, and Mrs. R. L. Adamson, mother of the groom-elect.

Mrs. J. Woods and Mrs. Wilbur Rhode were co-hostesses with a miscellaneous shower held at the home of the former, Glen Lake Road, Thursday evening, to honor Miss Jessie M. Reid, a bride-elect of this week. Gifts were concealed in a decorated slipper. Corsage bouquets were presented to the honor guest and to her mother, Mrs. Hugh Reid. Others invited were: Mesdames A. Rhode, A. W. Silman, F. J. Willway, S. Essler, N. Russell, G. F. Peatt, W. Henderson, M. Oliver, D. Richards, A. Foley, L. Rhode, M. A. Morrow, and Misses Helen Silman, Sylvia Morrow and Gwen Silman.

Miss Kathleen Dirom, whose marriage will take place in April, was honored when Mrs. P. Caine and her daughter Mrs. E. Lindley entertained with a miscellaneous shower at the home of the latter, 536 Niagara Street Wednesday. A corsage bouquet of gardenia and roses was presented to Miss Dirom while her mother, Mrs. J. Dirom received one of carnations and violets. Gifts were contained in a decorated wagon drawn by little Sharlene Lindley. Those invited were Mesdames A. Houston, A. Watson, R. Balfour, J. Webster, J. Ewing, W. A. Elliott, P. O'Connor, F. Simmonds, G. Ross, A. Bain, Switzer, J. Milton, J. Marshall, C. Brown, J. Motion, T. Hall, J. Wells, E. Paddock, T. Simmonds, R. Allison, and E. Dakers.

Rear-Admiral E. R. Mainguy, O.B.E., R.C.N., Commanding Officer, Pacific Coast, will have as his dinner guests tonight at Admiral's House, H.M.C. Dockyard, Lt.-Col. A. C. Perron, commanding officer, Work Point Barracks, and Mrs. Perron; Lt.-Cmdr. J. E. Wolfenden, captain, H.M.C.S. Charlottetown; Lieut. and Mrs. I. Valen; Surgeon-Lt. and Mrs. B. S. Wells; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bate; Cmdr. (NS) E. W. Ledingham, Mrs. C. H. Sinclair, Mrs. J. P. T. Dawson and Lieut. M. W. Mayo.

Honoring Miss Jessie Reid, a bride-elect of this week, Mrs. J. McMillan, Myrtle Street, entertained Tuesday evening with a miscellaneous shower. Corsage bouquets of carnations, heather and violets, tied with tartan ribbons, were presented to the principal and her mother, Mrs. H. Reid. Decorations were carried out in a St. Patrick's Day theme. Those present were Mesdames J. G. McMillan, A. Lamble, K. Lewis, J. R. McMillan, A. McMillan, J. Woods, J. Godber, J. M. McMillan, E. Jupp, N. Davies, A. Reid, W. Murray, R. J. Cameron, J. W. Mundie, W. Rhode, J. Reid, H. Reid, W. Cleater, T. Alexander, W. Campbell, W. Davey, D. Randall, D. McCaig, A. Kennedy, J. Leiper, D. McMillan, H. Reid Jr., and Misses S. McMillan, H. McMillan, A. Woods and B. Randall.

Zelotes Plan Shoppers' Tea

A shopper's tea is planned for Saturday afternoon at 301 Union Building, under the auspices of the Zelotes Club.

Miss Hilda Spearman is convener, assisted by Miss Mary Cutt. Comfortable chairs will be provided and everything arranged to help the weary shopper relax and enjoy a reviving cup of tea in congenial surroundings.

A rummage sale is also planned by members of the Zelotes Club for March 29 in the Market Place, with proceeds to go to the Children's Aid Society.

The president, Miss Joyce Whitehead, presided at the meeting, where final plans were made for the two affairs. After business was concluded, C. Lyons showed color films of the Okanagan and Mount Robson Park.

Luncheon—Shamrocks and daffodils decorated the tables for the St. Patrick's luncheon held in Centennial United Church Sunday school room, Monday, by the Ladies' Guild. A. Sullivan gave a talk about his trip through Ireland. Solos were given by Mrs. Edwards, accompanied by Mrs. J. Buckler. Rev. W. R. Ashford addressed the members briefly.

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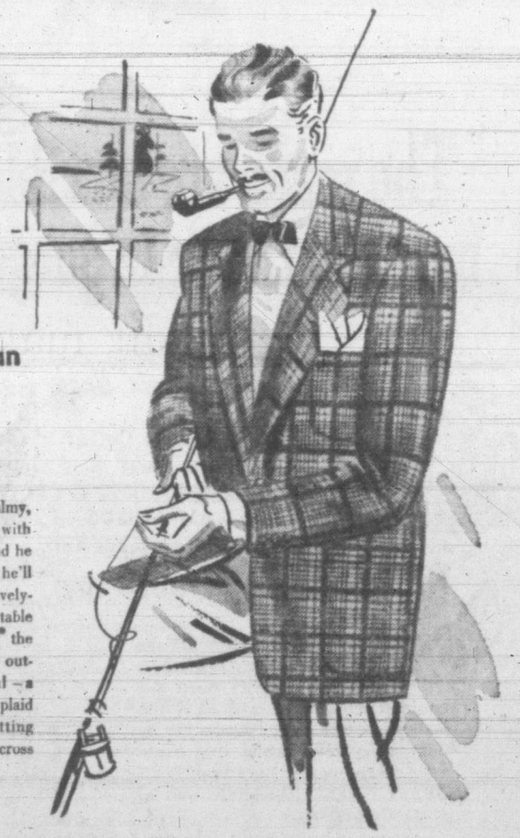

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The Dominion Government is seeking an area in B.C. bordering on the Pacific Ocean for development as a national park.

Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney reported this to the B.C. Legislature Thursday when asked by H. J. Welch, Coalition, Comox, what had been done to have the Forbidden Plateau made a national park. Mr. Kenney said the Forbidden Plateau did not meet the present requirments of the Dominion as it lacked an outlet to the ocean. Also E. and N. lands were involved, he said.

Mr. Kenney assured both Englishman River and Little Qualicum Falls parks would be kept up although because of road reconstruction it was anticipated the number of visitors this year would be less than previously.

Sam Guthrie, C.C.F., Cowichan-Newcastle, asked that Ivey's Green park north of Ladysmith be developed.

Consumer Credit Control Law Extended By House For Year

C. W. Morrow's bill to extend for a year authority for the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to control consumer credit went through second reading in the B.C. Legislature Thursday.

The Coalition member for North Okanagan explained that while it might never be necessary to use these powers it would be a safeguard to have them on the books for the next year. He said there had not been adequate time to prepare specific legislation to control time buying of consumer goods.

The bill to give agrologists a professional standing was delayed again, D. C. Brown, Coalition, Vancouver-Burrard, adjourning the debate while the bill was at second reading. A. C. Hope, Coalition, Delta, who had previously adjourned the debate said there were certain provisions in the bill which were objectionable.

At the same time the house finally passed three other pieces of minor private legislation, bringing to four the total number of bills finally approved at the current session.

Winch Blames Cartel For Closedown Of B.C. Mercury Mine

A C.C.F.-Coalition dispute, with C.C.F. charges of "world cartel," stormed in the B.C. Legislature Thursday over the close-down of the Pinchi Lake mercury mine which Harold E. Winch, C.C.F. Opposition Leader, claimed could produce enough mercury in one month to supply the needs of the whole Dominion for two years.

E. F. Rowland, C.C.F., Omineca, in whose constituency the mine lies, said the mine had been able to supply most of the needs of the United States during the war and that there were now 1,800 flasks of mercury waiting to be disposed of.

C.C.F. whip, Herbert Gargrave, reminded Minister of Mines R. C. MacDonald that, in the budget speech, "he appeared jubilant over the discovery of this mercury." The minister admitted the mine was one of the largest in the world but maintained the price of labor here made the metal too expensive to mine in competition with other countries.

The Opposition Leader, Mr. Winch, asked the minister if he was interested in investigating as to why the mine, owned by Canadian Mining and Smelting, was closed down and if he was willing to place the means of investigation in the hands of the C.C.F. to discover whether or not C.M.S. was tied up to a world cartel in mercury, and to any foreign firms which were now supplying mercury to Canada.

4 Planes Ready To Fight Forest Fires

Development of a province-owned forest fire-fighting service is uneconomical at present, according to Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney, but there was nothing in his speech to the B.C. Legislature Thursday to indicate the government will not eventually own such a service.

In the meantime, the province has a contract with Central Airways to have four planes at the disposal of the service. The planes can carry men and equipment readily to the scenes of fire from a series of bases extending down the mainland.

Regarding organization of fire-suppression crews, the minister expressed his satisfaction with the work of high school students used during summer holdays. He proposed to continue using them.

He also said the government was continuing to expand its forest protection services and it was hoped eventually to build up the Forest Protection Fund to $2,500,000. This year $1,250,000 has been voted. The minister said he would ask for increasing amounts until the objective was reached.

Minister Frowns On Log Beachcombing

A plea for legalization of log beachcombing in British Columbia was presented to the B.C. Legislature Thursday by Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F., Mackenzie, but Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney did not take kindly to the suggestion.

Admitting beachcombing for logs in the Vancouver area had become a racket, beachcombers taking boom logs along with those drifting onto beaches, Mr. Gargrave said a beachcomber in his district had built up a legitimate business salvaging stray logs but he had been put out of business when the B.C. Forest Service clamped down on beachcombing.

Mr. Gargrave suggested licensing of beachcombers so logs, which would otherwise rot on the beaches, might be salvaged to help meet lumber shortages.

Mr. Kenney said Mr. Gargrave, in effect, was advocating the licensing of a person to do an illegal act. While admitting a considerable quantity of logs which otherwise might never be salvaged could be taken to sawmills, he reminded Mr. Gargrave the drifting logs were still the property of those who had cut them.

Mr. Kenney suggested, however, there was nothing to prevent a beachcomber making an arrangement with the owners of the logs to salvage them.

J. H. Cates, Coalition, North Vancouver, suggested something should be done to protect navigation from floating logs.

Bounty Would Help B.C. Steel Industry

A steel-rolling mill would be established in B.C. within a year if the $1 bounty on the first 200,000 tons produced was increased to $1.50, A. J. MacDonell, Vancouver Centre, claimed in the B.C. Legislature Thursday.

In answer to C.C.F. charges that a cartel had prevented establishment of a basic steel industry in the province, Mr. MacDonell said it would cost $19,000,000 to establish such a plant.

Time Not Ripe For B.C. Steel Industry Lgislature Told

Charges cartels were keeping a steel industry from being established in B.C. were made by C.C.F. members in the B.C. Legislature Thursday as Mines Minister R. C. MacDonald's department estimates were being considered.

A. J. Turner, C.C.F., Vancouver East, said only by breaking the stranglehold of cartels or by government going into the business itself, would a steel industry be developed in this province.

The debate on steel began when A. J. McDonell, Coalition, Vancouver Centre, had said establishment of a major steel industry was inadvisable until sufficient markets were found. Top market at present was 30,000 tons, he said, claiming that was not enough to justify a start.

Opposition Leader H. E. Winch recalled the Postwar Rehabilitation Council, composed of seven Coalitionists and three C.C.F. members, had unanimously recommended two years ago establishment of a steel plant to use scrap metal.

He said that four years ago the deputy minister of mines had said such a plant was being kept out of B.C. by the federal steel controller who was a director of "Dosco."

Mr. MacDonald replied that it was not the policy of the government to go into the steel business but if such a plant were profitable financial interests would become interested.

Billboard Control; Safety Lanes For Highways Of B.C.

Stricter control of billboard advertising on the highways of British Columbia is anticipated following the introduction in the B.C. Legislature Thursday by Works Minister E. C. Carson of legislation to amend the Highway Act.

The proposed legislation would give the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council authority not only to prohibit but also to regulate "the erection of signs or signboards and the pasting or painting of signs or notices, and the exposing of any advertising device upon or within a distance to be specified in the regulation from any highway or any specified portion of a highway."

The Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council would also be given the power to provide for removal of signs not only on highways but also within specified distances of highways.

Authority will also be given to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council to fix the distance from a highway at which fences and buildings may be placed and trees, shrubs and hedges may be planted. The works minister will be given authority to remove obstructions threatening the safety of the traveling public.

Other sections of the proposed bill provide for establishing pedestrian lanes and regulation of pedestrians and traffic at these lanes.

Georgian, Masonic Choirs Sing Tonight

A Spring Day concert by the Georgian Choristers and Masonic Choir will be given in First Baptist Church tonight at 8. These well-known choirs have arranged a joint program of well-balanced variety and choral work and will be assisted by Percy Humphrey, 'cellist, Terence Shaw and Raymond LeHuquet, two promising violinists, and James McGrath in Kipling Cameos.

The proceeds will be used by the Recreation Council of Greater Victoria, which is presenting the concert, for social work among senior citizens.

MEETING POSTPONED

Date of the meeting of the B.C. executive of the Liberal Association, originally called for late May in Vancouver, has been postponed until Sept. 11 and 12, it was announced here today by Liberal officials.

The meeting has been postponed to permit federal members and senators to attend.

MUNICIPAL REFERENDUM

C. W. Morrow, Coalition, North Okanagan, asked in the B.C. Legislature Thursday amendment to the Municipal Act to permit municipal councils to submit referendums to ratepayers without petition by one-fifth of the ratepayers.

Municipal Affairs Minister R. C. MacDonald suggested such a move might be very expensive for some cities and municipalities.

Guthrie Stresses Water Needs Of Cobble Hill-Nanaimo Farmers

Sam Guthrie, C.C.F., Cowichan-Newcastle, warned the B.C. Legislature Thursday that unless the provincial government took steps to irrigate farm lands between Cobble Hill and Nanaimo the number of farmers in this area would decrease still further.

Farmers now had to haul water for miles during the summer, Mr. Guthrie said, adding that the youngest farmer in one area now is 37. He said that if the government was spending $30,000,000 for power development and rural electrification, some steps should be made to provide water.

Mr. Guthrie suggested that on the Nanaimo River the government could undertake a joint power and water development program. He also mentioned the Cowichan River and Haslam Creek as sources of water.

Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney suggested a water district be formed to develop new sources of water with the aid of the government's experts.

Socialism Growth Need Not Be Feared

There is little chance that eastern Europe will become completely democratic within the next several generations, Maj. John Simonds, secretary of the Victoria Branch of the Institute of International Affairs, told members of the Kinsman Club at the Empress Hotel Thursday night.

However, he said, the fear of many people that the spread of Communism through eastern Europe will lead to war is unfounded. This fear was the result of "much talk without a great deal of thought," Maj. Simonds said.

"Democracy cannot succeed in a country where there is no economic security and the fear of aggression is present," the major said.

The reason that Britain and the United States had advanced most toward democracy was because of obvious geographical and economical factors, he said.

"Socialism is the natural backbone of our whole economic history, and if it is kept democratic there is nothing to fear."

Referring to Poland, Maj. Simonds said that 4,000,000 peasant farmers now owned their land for the first time in history, and would form the backbone of a conservative opposition, even though they may be judged "leftist" by standards in other countries.

FREDERICTON (CP) — New Brunswick will receive $4,760,689 this year under the new Dominion-Provincial taxation agreement which, with other revenue from the Dominion, will make a total of $7,432,267 from this source. This was revealed Thursday in the budget brought down in provincial Legislature.

Polite Wrestler Unjustly Slapped

EDMONTON (CP)—Trying to be a gentleman proved embarrassing to Cecil (Tiger) Goldstick of Edmonton, former Canadian Navy wrestling champion. (Goldstick was stationed at Esquimalt during the war.)

Noticing smoke pouring from a handbag of a young Edmonton miss, Goldstick tapped her on the shoulder and said: "Pardon me, lady, but you are on fire."

"Say, are you trying to get fresh," replied the woman, hauling off and slapping the amazed Goldstick in the face. And sure enough, her handbag was on fire. She and Goldstick quelled the flames, caused when a careless smoker flipped a lighted cigarette into her open purse.

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. Agriculture Department Thursday forecast a 1947 crop of 1,212,000,000 bushels and a corn crop of about 3,000,000,000 bushels. Last year's wheat crop was 1,155,715,000 bushels, largest on record.

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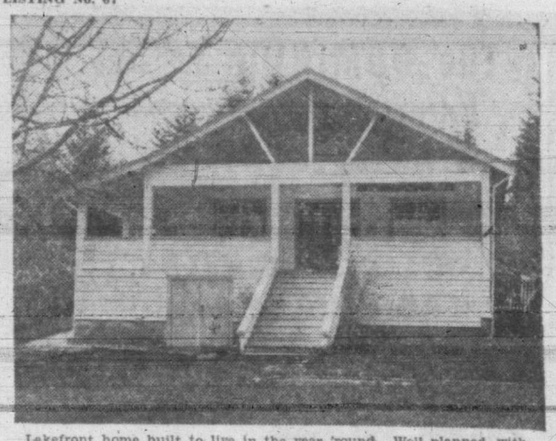

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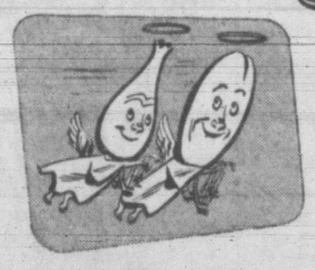

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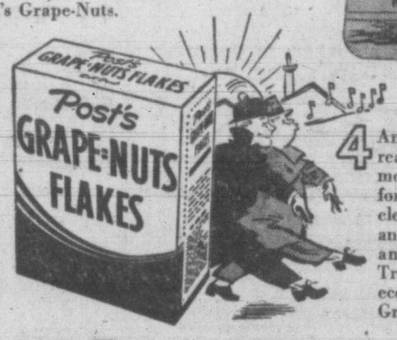

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Things begin to happen when Jane poses for artist Ellison's calendar painting—to the vehement disapproval of her fire chief father, Victor McLaglen.

ATLAS THEATRE

Nora Lane plays opposite William Boyd in Clarence E. Mulford's new Hopalong Cassidy Western, "Hopalong Rides Again," now at the Atlas Theatre. In this picture, which is another in the series featuring "Hopalong" Cassidy, Miss Lane is torn between her love for Hopalong and responsibility for her brother, chief of the rustlers.

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ROYAL THEATRE

Henry Hathaway has for the second time within the last five years substantially proven that it is possible to make a complete motion picture 3,000 miles away from Hollywood, and do it successfully. For the filming of "13 Rue Madeleine," Twentieth Century-Fox's exciting adventure story of espionage, the director found that the script called for 158 different settings, a record number for a film of this type. In preparing for the shooting of the picture, which is now at the Royal Theatre, Hathaway found it necessary to put in an average of 16 hours a day before he actually brought "13 Rue Madeleine" before the cameras.

RIO THEATRE

Fast-paced action, thrills and romance is the order of the day with Warner Bros.' new film, "Escape From Crime" at the Rio Theatre. Starring Richard Travis and Julie Bishop, the film shows the desperate struggle of a paroled convict to keep out of trouble.

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ATLAS—"No Leave—No Love," starring Van Johnson and Keenan Wynn.

CAPITOL—Larry Parks in "The Jolson Story."

DOMINION—"Calendar Girl," starring Kenny Baker and Jane Frazee.

OAK BAY—Gary Cooper in "Casanova Brown."

PLAZA—Paul Muni in "Angel On My Shoulder."

RIO—"Escape From Crime," starring Richard Travis and Julie Bishop.

ROYAL—James Cagney in "13 Rue Madeleine."

YORK—Alan Ladd in "This Gun for Hire."

PLAZA THEATRE

The latest story from Segall's pen, "Angel On My Shoulder," can be classified as a romantic fantasy. With Muni, when he returns to earth, is Claude Rains, who plays the Devil himself in this film in direct contrast to his role of "Mr. Jordan," keeper of the pearly gates in Segall's former fantasy, "Here Comes Mr. Jordan." United Artists is releasing the film which can be seen at the Plaza Theatre.

CAPITOL THEATRE

Hollywood shouldn't get upset by people who make cracks about actors, Al Jolson observed recently. Recalling his youth in connection with "The Jolson Story," Columbia's Technicolor musical now in its third week at the Capitol Theatre, he said he remembered the time that housewives, hearing a theatrical company had arrived, would call out to neighbors: "Better get your clothes offen the line. Show folks in town!"

YORK THEATRE

Laird Cregar contributes another striking screen characterization, this time as a man who directs murder while eating peppermint candies. As a very tender-hearted killer in "This Gun for Hire," new Paramount thriller currently at the York Theatre, he is featured in a cast including Veronica Lake and Robert Preston, with Alan Ladd.

OAK BAY THEATRE

Gary Cooper and Teresa Wright meet again in "Casanova Brown" in which they are co-starred, at the Oak Bay Theatre, with Cooper enacting the role of a small town Casanova, and Teresa Wright playing the part of his wife. Frank Morgan and Anita Louise are in the supporting cast.

Music Appreciation Club Hears Artists

The Victoria College Music Appreciation Club held its second student recital Wednesday at noon. Dick Lipsey, president of the club, was master of ceremonies.

Sheila Whittemore and Maureen Little played two duets, "Peterborough Sleigh Ride" and Brahm's Hungarian Dance No. 5.

Jack Saywell, accompanied by Marion Chapman, played the first and second movements of Frederick Sykes' "Student Concerto" for violin. "Venetian Serenade" and "Estrelita" were played as encores.

Miss Adele Goult sang "Danny Boy" and "Carnations," accompanied by Marion Chapman.

Boy Thieves Caught

NORTH VANCOUVER (CP)—The short crime life of two Vancouver juveniles ended abruptly here Thursday with their arrest by police. The boys, 12 and 15 years of age, were reported to have stolen a boat, burglarized a home of blankets, pots and pans and were preparing to make their getaway into the north shore woods when they were nabbed by police.

Carl Fallas Named District Chairman Of Legion Zone Council

At the annual meeting of the Victoria and District Zone Council of the Canadian Legion Carl Fallas was elected chairman for the ensuing 12 months, succeeding Robert Knight.

Elected to the post of vice-chairman was Miss Ruth Moore. Joseph J. Whitcomb was named secretary-treasurer to succeed Clem Gill, who was accorded a hearty vote of thanks for his fine work during the past years. Mr. Knight was named zone district representative. W. C. Hudson was named to represent the council on the Queen Alexandra Solarium board and Ken Leeming as Community Chest representative.

The council endorsed the action of the Esquimalt Dockyard branch in giving notice to officials concerned that it was going to keep a watchful eye on all appointments to the West Coast permanent complement and to contest any attempt to make permanent any civil servant who cannot fulfill the requirements of active service preference as defined by the Civil Service Act.

In this regard the parent body went further. While the Esquimalt resolution dealt with B.C., the zone council decided to petition all provincial and Dominion commands to "keep a watchful eye" in this regard to all government departments.

The Provincial Command will be asked to make inquiries into the reasons for drastic cuts in the armed forces in Canada.

A new set of by-laws concerning Victoria and district were struck and delegates were given copies to take back to their respective units for consideration.

Mr. Knight, in his annual report, commended R. W. Mayhew, M.P., and R. H. B. Ker for the work they had done to obtain the new Veterans Hospital, to be opened on Richmond Avenue on April 8 by Mr. Mayhew. The support of the public in this project, was also lauded by the retiring chairman.

The meeting endorsed a resolution by the Nursing Sisters' branch urging the erection of a medical school on the campus of U.B.C. as soon as possible. In regard to the Braefoot Estate investigation, in which the Legion was involved, it was reported that the council was still awaiting a decision from Ottawa on the findings.

During the evening the fine co-operation given the zone council by Mr. Mayhew, Maj-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., M.P., and Mayor Percy E. George drew expressions of commendation.

It was reported the provincial convention will be held in Vernon May 10 to 14 inclusive, and that all resolutions must be in to the provincial office by March 29. Branches not sending delegates are requested to send their proxies in without delay.

The council learned a charter for the new legion branch at Metchosin has been approved. Also passed was a motion that on Decoration Day, June 6, widows and orphans of veterans will be transported to nearby cemeteries.

A program of films including "Beneath Our Feet," and "The Aphis," featuring insect life will be shown to the general public at the Provincial Museum Sunday afternoon at 3.

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Rev. E. V. Steele, president and founder of the European Christian Orphanages, will be in Victoria from March 24 to 28. Mr. Steele was an outward-bound missionary on the Ss. Zam Zam, which was sunk by the Germans in 1941.

Mr. and Mrs. Steele were taken prisoners and were interned in Germany for four years, where they endured untold suffering. It was there that the pitiful condition of the homeless waifs and orphans was laid on their hearts and which led to the founding of the orphanage.

Mr. Steele will give special addresses at the following churches: Glad Tidings Tabernacle, 842 North Park Street, March 26, at 8; Christian and Missionary Alliance Tabernacle, Yates off Cook, March 27 at 8; Central Baptist Church, Pandora Street, March 28 at 8.

To Raise Status Of Radio Technicians

More than 100 members attended the annual banquet of the Victoria section of the Associated Radio Technicians of B.C. at the Royal Colwood Golf Club at which John Pearson, retiring president, outlined the objects of the association. They were, he said, to raise the professional status of the radio technician, and to protect the public against incompetent repairmen and unethical practices.

In welcoming the newly-elected executive, he noted that a number of new members were included in the group.

Officers elected were Reg Kaltenbach, president; George Little, vice-president; Ernie Wheeler, secretary; Jack Allison, treasurer, and Art Davies, recording secretary.

Following the banquet, members and guests danced to the music of Charlie Hunt's orchestra. "Fred and Bob" of CJVI provided entertainment during the intermission.

Out-of-town visitors included members of the Vancouver and up-island sections of the A.R.T. and representatives of the various jobbers and radio companies.

Wants Licensing Of Farm Tractors

G. A. Hood, superintendent of the motor vehicle branch, today recommended to the legislative agricultural committee farm tractors in B.C. be licensed, similar to trucks, when they were used on highways.

This would mean tractor drivers would have to hold drivers' licenses while operating the vehicle on the highway and thus prevent persons under 15 operating a tractor other than on the farm. Tractors were replacing the team as a method of transportation between the farm and market centres, Mr. Hood indicated.

Dr. K. M. King, Dominion government entomologist, will be the guest speaker at the museum lecture for school children Saturday morning. His topic, "The Insect World," will be illustrated by motion pictures.

Mobile Blood Unit Coming Here Again

The Red Cross Mobile Blood Unit, used here last Tuesday when 300 naval ratings at H.M.C.S. Naden donated blood to the Red Cross, will again be in the city next Thursday.

This time the unit will be set up at the Britannia Legion Hall, 1516 Blanshard Street, and volunteer civilians will have an opportunity to donate their blood to the new Red Cross service.

Over 1,000 Victorians have expressed their desire to give to this service but more are needed. Anyone wishing to register is asked to get in touch with the Red Cross offices at 602 Broughton Street. Those who have registered and who wish to make their donation on Thursday are asked to phone B 3159 for appointments.

The blood will be used in the new free blood transfusion service, of the Red Cross Society. Under this service those who require blood transfusions can have them free of charge. Although this service is only operating in British Columbia at the present time, it is hoped that through money raised in the current national drive that it will soon be in operation all across Canada.

Householders who have not yet been called upon by Red Cross canvassers, are kindly asked to mail or take their donations to the local Red Cross headquarters in Prince Robert House.

To celebrate this year's "Be Kind to Animal Week," April 7-13, the Victoria S.P.C.A. will hold an essay competition which will be entitled "Why I should be kind to animals." There will be two classes judged, children between the ages of seven to 10, and 11 to 14. Entries must be in not later than April 5 and must not be longer than 300 words. Winners will be announced during "Be Kind to Animal Week." Judging the essays will be Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams, Mrs. E. P. Heywood and G. Drew.

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Aylmer Pineapple — 400 jars. 16-oz. jar 35c

Canada Corn Starch — 300 packets. Per pkt. 11c

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Britain May Charge Chile With Looting Falkland Base

SANTIAGO, Chile (AP)—Chile was involved with Britain today in charges and counter-charges that supplies were "looted" from the American base at Stonington Island, which was abandoned by the 1941 United States Antarctic expedition.

(Stonington Island is in the Falkland group, to which Britain, Chile and Argentina all have laid claim.)

Defence Minister Manuel Bulnes issued a statement denying London news reports that the crews of the current Chilean Antarctic expedition stole installations left on Stonington six years ago when the U.S. expedition was concluded. The ministry countered with a radio message from the commander of the Chilean expedition which said he was "witness to the use by Englishmen in Margarita (Marguerite) Bay of cigarettes and other articles from the American base."

(A Foreign Office spokesman in London said Britain believed crews of Chilean vessels on Feb. 20 and March 8 had raided the Stonington base and radio transmitter. Government sources said that if British representatives' reports from the island produced evidence, Chile would be asked to explain.)

Liquor Consumption $373,000,000 In Year

TORONTO (CP)—Liquor expenditures in Canada have reached an all-time high, Rev. J. R. Mutchmor, D.D., of Toronto, told the board of evangelism and social service of the United Church of Canada here Thursday.

The board secretary said latest figures available showed an annual liquor bill of $373,000,000.

He said the total represented more than $1,000,000 a day, more than $30 for every man, woman and child in the Dominion, and provided "abundant evidence that it is in the program of the liquor interests greatly to increase this."

His report said beer consumption hit a peak of 130,086,099 gallons in the fiscal year 1945-46 and had climbed steadily following outbreak of the Second World War after having struck its previous high of 62,100,225 gallons in 1930.

He quoted figures which set deaths attributed to alcoholism at 83 in 1941, 59 in 1942, 57 in 1943 and 66 in 1944; and convictions for drunkenness at 46,745 in 1945, last year for which totals are available.

Rev. R. T. Richards of London, Ont., proposed that a percentage of revenue from the sale of beverage alcohol be set aside to provide proper institutions for the care and rehabilitation of alcoholics.

The Zoning Board of Appeal at a meeting Wednesday approved conversion of 121 South Turner Street from two to three suites, provided the front veranda is re-

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"Toggery Teen"

Dresses For The Younger Set

Oh, boy, 'teen-agers! Here's dresses designed just for you with all the winsome flattery your crowd likes . . . little cuties you'll love wearing! Gay colors, swinging skirts, brief sleeves, patch pockets . . . and best of all, they're done in tub-loving fabrics that never lose their crispness! See them Saturday at "The Bay."

Good-enough-to-eat candy striped slub spun rayon with cleverly manipulated stripes across the bodice. Young white rolled collar, contrasted leatherette belt. Sizes 10 to 16, red and white, blue and white 4.98

Cap-sleeved striped pique with wide set-in belt, white eyelet front panels and striped vestee. Sizes 10 to 16 in multi-striped pale blue, pink, green, lime . . . at 4.98

Buttoned front novelty seersucker with brief cap sleeves, round neckline, full skirt and Dutch pockets. White lace trim. Sizes 10 to 16 in white background with colorful print designs 3.98

Patch-pocketed fine cotton broadcloth in novelty border print. Cap sleeves, round neckline, full skirt, contrasting wide leatherette belt. Sizes 10 to 16 years in pink with brown, pale blue with navy 3.98

Cool, low-necklined, two-toned pique with full gathered skirt that makes your waistline a mere handspan. Sizes 10 to 16 in white bodice with lime and sand, pink and grey, rose and blue stripes 4.98

—Teen Dresses, Second Floor

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Students' Flannel Longs

Heavy, long-wearing, in striped grey flannel. Five pockets. Sizes 30 to 34 ..... 8.50

Youths' Flannel Longs

Plain grey color, finished with 3 pockets. Just right to wear with sports jackets or pullovers. Sizes 26 to 34 ..... 5.50

—Boys' Clothing, Street Floor

Men's Leather Jackets

With Zipper Front

Easy-to-get-into, easy-to-wear, genuine horsehide jackets, zippered up the front and on the breast pocket, too! Well finished, fully lined, in sizes 36 to 44. Medium brown color 19.95

Others in dark brown capeskin, 16.95

—Men's Clothing, Street Floor

New Record Releases

in "The Bay's" Record Dept.

Here's the answer to why Richard won't open the door!

"The Key's in the Mailbox"

Black and White by Jack McVea 1.25

Columbia Records

IT'S A GOOD DAY and THE SLOW MOSQUITO — Gene Krupa. C849 ..... 65¢

MY HEART GOES CRAZY and CONNECTICUT — The Modernaires. C850 ..... 65¢

SONATA and A SUNDAY KIND OF LOVE — Claude Thornhill. C851 ..... 65¢

OPUS NO. 1 and VALSE TRISTE—Gene Krupa. C853 ..... 65¢

LINDA and LOVE IS A RANDOM THING—Ray Noble. C 858 ..... 65¢

OPEN THE DOOR, RICHARD and NICHOLAS (Don't Be So Ridiculous) — "Tiger" Haynes and the Three Flames. C 859 ..... 65¢

—Records, Third Floor

Cigar Smokers' Special

Specially clearance priced discontinued line . . . Granjero cigars, made in Colombia and originally imported to sell for 16c each. Special, box of 25 ..... 1.89

Tobaccos, Third Floor

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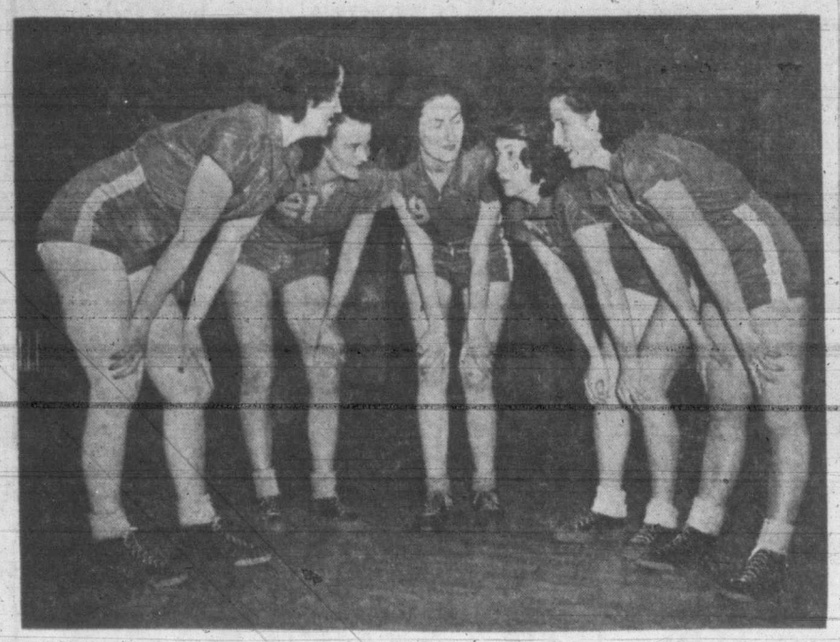
Play In B.C. Hoop Final Tonight



British Columbia senior A women's basketball championship will be at stake in a series opening tonight at the High School gym between Hudson's Bay and Vancouver Nut House. The preliminary at 7.30 will match Bob Whyte's Hot Shots against Trapp Tech High School of New Westminster in a sudden-death B.C. junior girls' final. The second game of the best-of-three women's senior series will be played tomorrow night and a third, if necessary, here Monday. Five girls above will play a leading role in the Bays' bid for the crown. From left to right: Flo Kennedy, Kay Trevelyan, Marion Kennedy, Margaret LaLacheur, and Eileen Carlson.

Audubon Society Proposes No Shooting Of Ducks For Year

WASHINGTON (AP)—The National Audubon Society has proposed that hunters quit shooting ducks for one year to give the fowl a chance to restore their ranks by breeding.

President John H. Baker, in an article in Audubon Magazine, declared that at one typical society research station—Delta, Man.—the breeding waterfowl population in 1946 was off 80 to 90 per cent from 1945, but the season's kill nevertheless was the heaviest of record.

"More redhead ducks went south to Chicago, St. Louis and other points in frozen packages than in migration," Baker said.

He said the society wants hunting of all migratory waterfowl in North America halted for a year "with the understanding that during that time basic revisions of management and regulation policies will be worked out and adopted."

Bentley-Richard Duel Holds Hockey Interest

Montreal fans have a special treat in store tomorrow night when Maurice (Rocket) Richard and Max Bentley seek to settle their close duel for the National Hockey League scoring championship.

At present, Bentley, with 68 points holds a one point lead, but the shifty Richard has the advantage of playing on his home ice where he has tallied over 50 per cent of his 43 goals this season.

With nothing at stake between the two clubs except for the Richard-Bentley scoring argument, it is likely Dick Irvin will spare his stalwarts in an effort to avoid recurrence of last Sunday's game at New York when Buddy O'Connor, Kenny Reardon and George Allen were put out of commission for a spell by injuries.

Irvin intends to bring up Johnny Quilty from Springfield Indians to fill the gap between Toe Blake and Richard. Canucks will wind up their regular schedule Sunday night when Boston Bruins play host at a preview playoff party.

ROSS INTERESTED

Art Ross will be on the alert to find the best method to stop Richard whom he claims has led to bursting up of his line of Dumart, Schmidt and Bauer.

The second place Leafs, unable to catch their Montreal rivals in the league standing, play Rangers at Maple Leaf Gardens Saturday night and then catch the overnight train to Detroit for a game with Red Wings.

Rangers with nothing left to do but dry out their stockings and oil their skates for next season will make their last stand of the season in Chicago Sunday night. The happy-go-lucky Hawks will receive another chance in this game to help Bentley clinch the scoring title.

PLAYOFF DATES

MONTREAL (CP)—The dates and the teams determined, the National Hockey League is awaiting only the formal completion of its regular schedule before getting under way its annual prize attraction, the Stanley Cup playoffs.

Dates for the semifinal series between Toronto Maple Leafs and Detroit Red Wings were announced Thursday, with the first game scheduled for Toronto, March 26. The champion Montreal Canadiens will open their best-of-seven series at home against Boston Bruins March 25.

This is the line-up for the two semi-final series, with the last three games in each case to be played only as necessary:

Canadiens-Boston: At Montreal March 25 and 27, at Boston March 29, and April 1, at Montreal April 3, at Boston April 5, at Montreal April 8.

Toronto-Detroit: At Toronto March 26 and 29, at Detroit April 1 and 3, at Toronto April 5, at Detroit April 6, at Toronto April 8.

ROBINSON TROPHY GOLF

Entries for the J. Harold Robinson trophy competition at Upland Golf Club Sunday will be accepted up to 1. All entries must be handed to starter John Wren who will supply score cards.

The competition will be 18 holes on full handicap, and members with games not made up are asked to notify the starter. Players will arrange their own games and time of play.

Esquimalt Battles Legion In Cup Play

Jackson Cup series for the city first division football championship will be ushered in tomorow when Esquimalt battles Canadian Legion at Athletic Park.

Sunday Victoria West engages Oak Bay at Macdonald Park in another first round engagement.

Both matches start at 2.30.

Following weekend the Navy of the Wednesday League will meet the winner of the Esquimalt-Legion fixture.

Series is played on the knockout system.

Eagles Battle Varsity Cagers For Coast Title

The coast intermediate A men's basketball final between Eagles and Varsity will be held in Victoria on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week at the High School, Cec Walton, council member of the B.C.A.B.A., announced today.

Eagles who captured the intermediate B crown last year, compiled a creditable record in league and playoff competition this season and are rated a good chance of capturing the provincial honors again this year.

Varsity won the lower mainland crown in rather easy fashion and under coach Jack Pomfret of Meralomas and University of Washington fame, are classed as one of the top intermediate squads to come from the mainland in recent years.

D. Fletcher Named Sports Council Head

Doug Fletcher, who recently was elected temporary chairman of the Sports Council of Greater Victoria last night, was appointed permanent chairman at the first regular meeting of the council since its inception a few weeks ago.

Others elected to positions on the executive include Alf Worthington, vice-chairman; Ernie Costain, secretary, and Dick Reeve, acting treasurer.

The Sports Council voted in favor of daylight saving time as an aid to summer sports, and drafted letters to authorities urging improvements to certain playing grounds of the city.

It was also decided to publish a sports almanac for Victoria, which would give a complete record of the year's activities in athletics. Regular monthly meetings of the Sports Council will be held on the third Thursday of each month.

Newhouser-Feller To Meet Regularly

LAKELAND, Fla. (AP)—American League fans faced the pleasant prospect today of witnessing several hair-raising hurling duels between the two greatest pitchers in baseball, Hal Newhouser of Detroit and Bob Feller of Cleveland.

This became evident when Newhouser, the game's premier southpaw, declared he was prepared to clash with Feller, baseball's top righthander, as often as his regular pitching turn called for.

President Bill Veeck of Cleveland, never one to overlook a good thing especially when it means filling the ball park, has already said that he would ask manager Lou Boudreau to pitch Feller against Newhouser whenever it could be arranged.

The slender curly-haired Newhouser, fully aware of the controversy raging as to who is the better moundsman, took exception to stories which charged that he had side-stepped several encounters with Feller last year. They met twice and each emerged with a victory.

"I never ducked a meeting with Feller or with any other great pitcher in my life," said Hal, who in the past three years has won 86 games for the Tigers.

Newhouser and Feller have been starting opponents six times. Of those games, Feller won four, both were knocked out to stay out of the won-and-lost column in the fifth, and Hal won his only decision over the fireballer last September with a two-hit shutout.

Newhouser, who won 26 games last year, credits his tremendous improvement to the acquisition of a change of pace pitch to go with his fast ball and curve, together with better control.

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

FOR THE FIFTH straight season New York Rangers have failed to make the National Hockey League playoffs. Gotham Blueshirts washed up their last chance to squeeze in under the wire against Detroit Wednesday night, that 2 to 0 defeat climaxing one of the worst nose dives in the history of big-time hockey. Hockey followers will be surprised if some kind of shake-up fails to materialize in the Rangers before another season rolls around. Five straight years without of a playoff berth knocks the prestige of the club into a cocked hat.

IF THE N.H.L. directors had decided not to add to the schedule those 10 extra games which are loading fresh wealth into big league hockey's coffers, the Rangers would be sitting pretty. Playing the old 50-game season the New Yorkers would have made the playoffs with a couple of points to spare. They held that margin over Detroit Red Wings going into game No. 51 March 2 against Boston. After that the roof fell in on the New York squad as they lost seven out of eight games to drop seven points back of the Red Wings. Elimination from the playoffs cost each Ranger player at least $500 and possibly $2,000. Each player on a winning team in the playoffs is assured $1,000 with $500 to the losers. Thus the Stanley Cup winners will receive $2,000 apiece.

HEAVYWEIGHT champion Joe Louis' tour of South America during which he boxed 11 exhibitions for a total of 54 rounds, was a rousing success, politically and financially, according to Andy Niederreiter who was the tour director for the boxing titleholder and his party. "It was a lifetime rapped in tinfoil and sentiment," says Niederreiter. "Thousands turned out to see Joe and sometimes the police were unable to control them. It was a harvest for pickpockets. Joe, who grossed $200,000 came away $25 poorer. Someone plucked his sun glasses

THE SMALLEST crowd was 11,464 who sat in at San Salvador. In all, 182,567 fans turned out to see the champion. San Salvador's president issued a special decree for the show. Boxing has been banned there for 15 years. The biggest crowd was in Santiago, Chile, where Louis and Arturo Godoy drew 32,476. Ringside seats were priced at $30 and they were all filled but the house only hit $31,000. Twenty-five thousand were admitted at 60 cents a head. At Guayaquil they had to rough it—a train wreck parted the water main and there was no water for two weeks."

VICTORIA athletes will make a mass invasion of Vancouver this week-end with four rugby teams and two basketball squads after honors. On the rugby front J.B.A.A. will attempt the major task of turning back Varsity for the provincial club championship. Victoria College ruggers seek the B.C. intermediate title while Victoria Ripples, junior edition of the Crimson Tide battle mainlanders in the opener of a home and home trophy series. Fourth rugby clash will be an exhibition between Naval College intermediates and St. George's. Canadian Legion basketballers stack up against Meralomas in the third tilt of the provincial senior men's final. Two games down, the Legion face a tough assignment and will definitely start as underdogs. Youthful Tillicums tangle with Ryerson for the coast intermediate B cage crown. It will be quite an invasion and here's wishing good luck to our traveling athletes.

Bill Hope Scores 4 Goals To Give Mount View Win

Performing the hat-trick and adding another goal for good measure, Bill Hope led Mount View High to a 5 to 4 win over a fighting Victoria High School eleven in a Colonist Cup match yesterday. Win advanced Mount View into the semifinals against Oak Bay High on Tuesday with the winner qualifying to meet Mount Douglas for possession of the cup.

Victoria took an early 2 to 0 lead on goals by Roy Erickson and Gordy Peterson. However, Mount View came back strong and Hope tied the score on a pair of well-placed shots. Seconds before the end of the first half, Erickson notched his second counter to give the city lads a 3 to 2 lead.

To open the second, Hope moved from centre half to centre forward, Doug Betts dropping back. Minutes later Hope notched his third and fourth counters and shortly after Leo Kozak put Mount View ahead 5 to 3 on a long angle shot. Final goal came near the end, Erickson netting Irwin LeBus' cross to leave Vic High one goal down at the whistle.

Port Alberni Wins Coast Hoop Title

PORT ALBERNI (CP) — Port Alberni Athletics, Vancouver Island senior B basketball champions, defeated Powell River senior B boys, 65 to 58, here Thursday night to take the two-game, total-point series. Port Alberni won, 59 to 42, in the first game of the semifinal series here Wednesday night.

The Athletics will meet Kamloops in the B.C. senior B basketball final. The first game will be played in Kamloops March 29.

EXHIBITION RUGBY

University School will play host to Vancouver Old Boys in an exhibition rugger match at University School grounds tomorrow afternoon at 2.30. Following the game an "Old Boys" dinner will be held at the school at 6.45.

Joe Cronin Expects His Boston Red Sox To Repeat

SARASOTA, Fla. (AP) — Joe Cronin expects his Boston Red Sox to have a tougher time winning the American League baseball pennant in 1947 than they did a year ago with Detroit, New York and Cleveland figuring as contenders.

"We got away fast last spring," Joe reminds, "nobody got after us until we were so far in front that it didn't matter. Every time we'd hit a little slump, the Yankees or Tigers would also flop. Of course, we had a terrific record at home that's too much to expect again.

"It ought to be closer, but we're still the team to beat."

Seven other managers echo Cronin's last comment. There is no question that Boston will be favored to repeat. The Sox can stand pat on their last year's line-up, with the exception of Pinky Higgins at third base. Most likely candidate for the third base job is Frank Shoffner, a .305 hitter at Louisville.

Bob Doerr and Johnny Pesky, of course, will form the Boston combination around second base with Rudy York rounding out the infield at first.

Ted Williams, who "slumped" to .342 again will carry the brunt of the attack.

With Dom DiMaggio in centre, all rookie outfielders are concentrating on right field where Sam Mele, a .342 socker at Scranton of the Eastern League, appears to have the advantage.

Pitching again will be in the capable hands of Tex Hughson, Dave Ferris, Mickey Harris and Joe Dobson, the "big four" of the pennant-winning staff who accounted for 73 of the 104 victories.

Large Entry For Gorge Vale Golf

With over 100 entries, the 18-hole qualifying round of the men's club championship will be played at the Gorge Vale Golf Club Sunday.

Fred Basanta will tee off in defence of his crown. The course will be closed to visitors until noon.

Draw and starting times follow:

8.00—R. F. Cox, W. Rowe, T. G. Harris.
8.05—A. Tregellas, R. Davison, J. Corkle.
8.10—N. Morgan, R. J. Pinniger, I. Campbell.
8.15—F. L. Basanta, E. Hume, P. Graham.
8.20—A. Walker, P. Panthorpe, C. Petch.
8.25—W. Enoch, A. Walton, G. Austin.
8.30—W. C. N. Smith, C. Boden, N. Hogan.
8.35—V. E. Butler, W. Brisbey, H. Harris.
8.40—D. W. Hosmer, O. Gilibard, E. Demusey.
8.45—A. Cowx, Ken Hincks, E. Barber.
8.50—R. Rickinson, J. G. Thompson, W. Neilson.
8.55—G. Tregellas, L. Carroll, J. Briggs.
9.00—H. J. Pigot, G. Merriman, R. Ashton.
9.05—R. Herbertson, Dr. E. Whitmore, J. O. McLaggan.
9.10—J. P. Morgan, J. J. Kennedy, J. R. Clark.
9.15—R. Hoadley, R. Fleming, Bob Wakelin.
9.20—M. A. Bartkow, J. Allen, W. A. Bird.
9.25—R. J. Carroll, F. Brawn, T. Affleck.
9.30—G. Gunniss, H. B. Kirkham, H. P. Pigot.
9.35—A. Caddell, C. E. Miller, J. L. Wilson.
9.40—G. Goodenough, G. Langley, S. Paterson.
9.45—L. Rimmer, H. K. Gray, A. Clarke.
9.50—E. Conard, R. Panthorne, F. D. Morten.
9.55—S. Douglas, R. Henry, T. Valentine.
10.00—D. I. Burdon, H. R. McDonald, V. Skinner.
10.05—W. L. Hornsby, G. Cole, R. D. Law.
10.10—W. Pistel, H. H. Cook, C. M. Holland.
10.15—W. A. Paterson, Pat Steele, J. Donaldson.
10.20—W. Power, N. Galbraith, H. Atkinson.
10.25—F. Rushworth, W. Stables, A. L. Meugen.
10.30—Wilf Jones, J. Louie, K. Garland.
10.35—Jack Brown, A. Roks, A. H. Zuick.
10.40—J. Beckerley, W. D. Johnson, J. H. Cox.
10.45—H. B. Panthorne, G. Stevens, P. Stern.
10.50—A. Roberts, B. Caddick, T. Rickinson

Carpet Bowling

Draw for play in the Britannia Branch Carpet Bowling League next week follows:

MONDAY

Men's Singles—C. S. Shubrook vs. J. Baron; D. Ryles vs. J. Whittle; L. Wheeldon vs. C. Hastings; G. Drew vs. H. Murray.

TUESDAY

Men's Doubles — Swan and Knight vs. Wood and Shubrook; Brereton and Kennedy vs. Baron and Wheeldon; Murray and Whittle vs. Hallett and Walker; Berwick and Ryles vs. Young and Hastings.

Portland Edges Seattle To Lead Coast Ice Playoff

PORTLAND, Ore. (CP)—Portland Eagles took a 2 to 1 lead over Seattle Ironmen in the Pacific Coast Hockey League's northern division best-of-seven finals when they edged the Ironmen 3 to 2 here last night.

Pat Desbiens batted in the winning counter late in the final period past Bob Drainville, Seattle defenceman, who took over in the net after goalie Freckles Little was struck in the eye by a puck early in the period. Little was taken to hospital for treatment.

The game-winning role was a familiar—one for Desbiens, the ex-Boston Olympic puckster, who just started to hit his top stride in the playoffs. He won two overtime games for the Eagles in the semifinals against Vancouver Canucks.

The fourth game of the division finals will be played at Seattle Sunday.

Legion-Tillicums Play At Vancouver

Down two games in the current best-of-five series for the B.C. senior A men's hoop crown, Alex McKeachie's Canadian Legion hoopers will travel to Vancouver today where they will meet Meralomas in the third game of the series at King Edward High School.

Legion are confident that they can even the score with the powerful mainland quintette in the pair of week-end battles and bring the deciding game back to Victoria. All the boys are in good shape for the trip with the exception of Hank Rowe and Ralph Baker, who will remain at home.

Traveling with the Legion will be Gar Taylor's Tillicums, island intermediate B titleholders who will meet Vancouver Ryerson in a sudden-death game for the coast title.

On Saturday night, the Canadian Legion Midgets will go to Vancouver for a sudden-death game for B.C. honors.

ROTARY-KIWANIS GOLF

The annual interclub golf tournament between members of the Kiwanis and Rotary service clubs will be played at the Colwood Club, April 9. Following the tournament a supper and social evening will be held. Prizes will be awarded to winners of the golf contests, and also to winners of the interclub bowling tournament which concludes next week.

BUTTON GOLF

Vic Painter and Billy McColl of Colwood will defend their city golf button against a challenge from Gordon Verley and Bob Morrison of Uplands at Colwood, Sunday at 1.30.

Oak Bay High Wins Girls Hockey Play

Unbeaten, unscored upon and tied but twice in their 10-game schedule, the Oak Bay High School girls' grass hockey club retained possession of the May Tully Shield by taking first-place honors in the Greater Victoria High Schools and College Grass Hockey League, recently completed.

Oak Bay topped the runner-up Mount View and Esquimalt units by six points in the final tabulations, scoring 19 goals to their opposition's zero. Victoria College tied with Victoria High School A team for fourth place, with Victoria High B team in last place.

Bremerton Starts Spring Training

LEWISTON, Idaho (AP)—The Bremerton Bluejackets opened spring training here Thursday with owner Bill Shepherd confident they will end their Western International League baseball season higher than their third place of last year.

Manager Alan Strange, who came to Bremerton from Portland this year, said emphasis would be on youth and speed. "Hustle can outweigh a lot of weaknesses," he said.

Strange predicted that pitcher Clarence (Beak) Federmeyer, who won 21 games last year, may break the league victory record of 22 games this season.

Moose Jaw-Brandon Juniors Head For Western Ice Final

WINNIPEG (CP) — Unless something startling intervenes, it seems as though Brandon Elks and Moose Jaw Canucks will appear in the western Canada junior final but few, if any, of the experts are willing to be quoted on which team will go against the eastern winner for the Memorial Cup.

Canucks, featuring Metro Prystai who is scheduled to bolster the faltering Chicago Black Hawks next year, have a two-game lead in their best-of-five series with Lethbridge Native Sons. The series, originally billed as a best-of-seven affair was shortened when the Saskatchewan champions took the first game 11 to 2. The second was closer, 8 to 7, but apparently didn't disclose anything to upset the predictions Moose Jaw will finish the duel in three games.

The second battle, between Brandon and Fort William Columbus club remains so far at least—a best-of-seven series although Brandon took the first two games 7 to 5 and 6 to 2.

In both cases it seems to be the same story—a good little team against a good big one.

Both the Canucks and Elks had to eliminate some pretty strong opposition before reaching the western semifinal. The Moose Jaw squad trailed Regina Pats throughout the Saskatchewan junior schedule but they polished off the Pats 3 to 1 in the best-of-five play-off. Meanwhile Brandon, which finished atop the Manitoba Junior A League, was taking Winnipeg Monarchs, 1946 Memorial Cup holders, 4 to 1 in a best-of-seven final.

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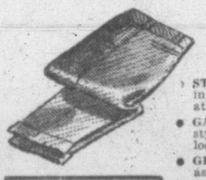
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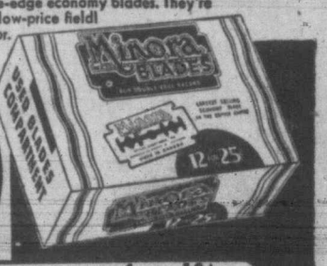
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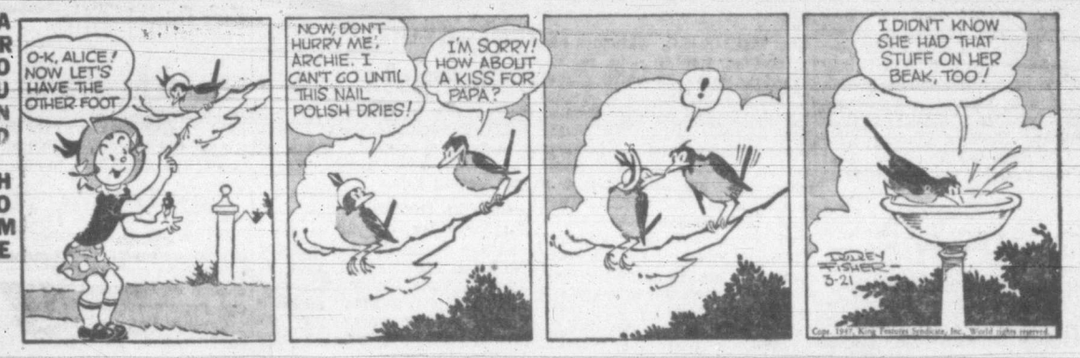

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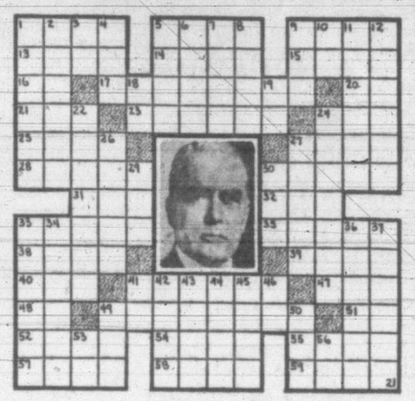

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26 Fragrance
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31 Recent
32 Stir
33 Hogs
35 Define grammatically
38 Chief
39 Burn
40 Operated
41 Unfasten
47 Misty
48 Plural suffix
49 Marsupial
51 Chinese town
52 Existed
54 Ireland
55 Atop
57 Kill
58 Indian weights
59 Ripped

VERTICAL
1 Wading bird
2 Speaker
3 That man
4 Short sleep
5 Jetty
6 Harem rooms
7 Children
8 Singing group
9 Sick
10 Accomplish
11 Elaborate
12 He is a Y.M.C.A.
18 Men's nickname
19 One
22 Pupil of British school
24 Tasted
26 Improve
27 Soft drinks
29 Dread
30 Headgear
33 Scolds
34 Scout of prey
36 Mariner
37 Stoat
41 Musical note
42 Units
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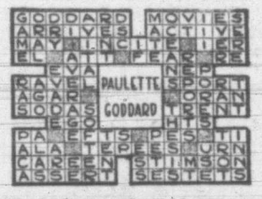

B.C. Coal Output Falls In February

British Columbia's declining coal production slipped further during February to 111,619 long tons compared with 127,675 long tons during the corresponding month of 1946.

Output of Vancouver Island mines totaled 42,422 tons during last month, compared with 48,050 tons during February, 1946, a monthly report of the chief inspector of mines showed today.

Chief island producer was No. 10, Mine South Wellington which produced 18,953 tons, thus exceeding its output for February, 1946, and the output of Comox Colliery for last month. Comox Colliery last month produced 17,951 tons, compared with 23,425 tons during February, 1946. The White Rapids Mine last month produced 4,301 tons, compared with 4,659 tons during February, 1946.

Production in the East Kootenay district fell by more than 10,000 tons, output last month being 63,095 tons compared with 73,699 tons in February, 1946.

Output in the Nicola-Princeton District totaled 4,310 tons last month compared with 4,325 tons in February, 1946, while production for the northren district last month totaled 1,792 tons, compared with 1,601 tons in February, 1946.

Among unusual articles turned over to city police to be picked up by those who lost them is a set of false teeth found on Yates Street Wednesday.

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Maquinna Refloated

The Ss. Princess Maquinna, Canadian Pacific Steamship steamer, which ran aground in fog early Thursday off the Fraser River mouth, will arrive in Victoria today and will sail on schedule tonight, company officials said here today.

The West Coast Vancouver Island steamer was refloated late yesterday without damage. It ran aground in fog on a sandbar. Part of the ship's cargo of fish had to be taken off by barge before she was pulled off the bar by a tug.

The ship proceeded to Vancouver and tonight will sail from here at 11.

A program of entertainment has been arranged for the Veterans' Association meeting, commencing at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon. The ladies' auxiliary will serve refreshments.

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Revive Drive For Canal Linking Two Inlets Here

Renewed agitation for the long-sought-after construction of a canal between Portage Inlet and Esquimalt Harbor, is the objective behind the recent formation of the Victoria Arm and Portage Inlet Improvements Association in Greater Victoria, it was learned today.

First meeting of the people behind this revival was held Feb. 19, at which six persons were on hand. The next meeting, on March 11, attracted 200 invited persons.

At this point the organization was formed and officers named, former Saanich councillor Joseph Casey as president, Mrs. Frank Waring as secretary and Mrs. Forbes as treasurer.

Wm. McKinty was named chairman of the executive committee, composed of six other persons.

The association is planning an immediate membership drive to sign up 5,000 interested persons in the project in Greater Victoria.

After a large membership strength has been gathered it is the plan to approach R. W. Mayhew, M.P., to again take up the matter at Ottawa to have the propect put through. The canal plan has been proposed for a great many years.

Mr. Casey expressed the opinion today that the project would not be an expensive one.

"I am fairly sure the whole thing could be accomplished for $250,000, including construction of the locks," he said.

Persons seeking information regarding membership are asked to contact Mrs. Waring at G 9059.

If the canal is built it will enable a complete water trip around the Greater Victoria area "and from a sanitary standpoint will clear up the Gorge waterway and enable us to swim there again," said Mr. McKinty.

Construction Starts On $75,000 Plant For Fish And Cold Storage

Construction of a new fish handling and cold storage plant costing approximately $75,000 for the Kyuquot Trollers' Association is now under way, it was announced here today.

The building is being erected on the site of the old chemical plant at Erie Street and Dallas Road and when completed will have a storage capacity for 250,000 pounds of fish.

Contract for the plant has been awarded to the Island Building Supply Co. The equipment will be installed by the Linde Refrigeration Co.

Kyuquot officials said the plant might be completed by the end of July. It will be 100 feet long by 100 feet wide and will be equipped with two freezers each capable of freezing 10,000 pounds of fish within eight hours. It will also have a storage space for 1,000 tons of ice which also could be used to freeze thousands of additional pounds of fish during the late season.

A dock to handle fish cargoes has already been completed by the Victoria Pile Driving Co. The wharf is 54 feet wide and 105 feet long. A shed on the dock is now nearing completion and should be ready by next week.

Officials said negotiations to erect the plant had been going on for some time. The property was bought from the Canadian Industries Ltd., sometime ago and work began immediately on the erection of a dock before proceeding with the plant.

A. C. Portway of the Leprosy Mission will speak on the work done by the mission, tonight at Ross Bay Gospel Hall, Joseph and May Streets, at 8.

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2-Year Jail Term For Youth Involved In Armed Hold-ups

Seventeen-year-old Robert Davis of Victoria, who earlier pleaded guilty to five criminal acts—including two armed robberies, theft of two cars and having a revolver without a permit to carry one—was sentenced to serve two years, less one day, in jail at hard labor by Magistrate Henry C. Hall in city police court today.

Davis appeared for the Crown as a witness in cases against two other 'teen-agers.

Magistrate Hall, in summarizing the situation before passing sentence, told Davis that he did not consider it proper under the circumstances to allow suspended sentence. The charges against him were very serious, especially those involving armed hold-ups.

"However, I am not going to send you to the penitentiary," he said. "I am going to send you to jail to give you an opportunity for qualifying under the Bonstal system, now being introduced and carried out by the Attorney-General. It is a splendid system as its operation in the past has shown and affords young fellows like yourself an opportunity to mend their ways," Magistrate Hall said.

On each of the five charges against Davis the magistrate imposed the two years less one day sentence, which aggregated 10 years less five days, but the sentences will run concurrently.

Davis was charged with being implicated in the hold-ups at gunpoint of Emily Rogers and Mrs. Laura Matthews, theft of two cars owned by F. L. Boorman and Fred Butterfield and carrying a revolver without a permit.

Only 1 Pub In 10 Fills Beer Glasses, Charges Gargrave

Charges that not one in 10 beer parlors was serving full glasses of beer were made in the legislative public accounts committee by Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F., Mackenzie.

Mr. Gargrave suggested the high price at which beer parlors were being sold today was caused by the failure of operators to live up to the regulations and failure to provide sanitary facilities.

The point is that beer parlors are violating the law, making money unfairly by processes which in any other business would bring prosecution, said Mr. Gargrave, adding that in a majority of beer parlors the busier the business, the later the time, the smaller the amounts of beer served in glasses became.

Liquor Commissioner W. F. Kennedy said that beer parlors were required to fill glasses with clear beer to a foam line. If they didn't, their licenses could be suspended. He said he had received only half a dozen complaints about glasses failing to be filled up.

Mr. Kennedy suggested this and other problems of beer parlor control had been caused by the end of competition during the war. There were the same number of parlors today in Vancouver, he said, as 17 years ago when he joined the Liquor Control Board.

"What Vancouver needs is more outlets," he said. "Then the condition you speak of would correct itself."

Mr. Kennedy said that a barrel of beer, costing the beer parlor $29, was being sold for $65 by the glass.

Russians Forbidden To Marry Aliens

MOSCOW (Reuter).—Marriages between Soviet citizens and aliens were prohibited by a decree published today in the gazette of the Supreme Soviet.

About 27 Soviet girls married British servicemen in Russia during the war. Twelve of these were allowed to leave the Soviet Union in 1945 after representations to Prime Minister Stalin, but efforts to get permission for the remaining 15 to join their husbands in Britain have been unsuccessful.

All Ford, Mercury Prices Cut By $35

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP)—Douglas B. Greig, president of the Ford Motor Company of Canada Ltd., announced today a reduction of $35 in the retail delivered prices of all models of Ford, Monarch and Mercury passenger automobiles and of Ford and Mercury trucks.

He said the reduction would become effective throughout Canada tomorrow morning.

Mr. Greig said the price reduction "is dictated both by considerations of the national interest and of our own interest. The company considered the reduction "an initial move in what we hope will be a widespread attack on inflationary forces."

'Automatic Membership' Aim Of B.C. Teachers' Federation

B.C. Teachers' Federation, replying to criticisms of proposed "automatic membership" by school trustees, today declared that any opposition was based on "a misunderstanding of the effect and purpose of the proposed legislation."

"Some trustees are misled by the use of the words 'closed shop' or 'union shop' in newspaper descriptions of the amendment to the Public Schools Act that is now before the Legislature," said an executive statement. "Actually, these terms do not apply."

The federation statement, released by General Secretary C. D. Ovans, asserted that "the only proper description of the amendment is 'automatic membership' —the term used to describe this sort of legislation in the seven Canadian provinces where it is now in force."

The federation statement referred to recent reported opposition to the proposed legislation by Allan Fellowes, and declared:

"Surely Mr. Fellowes was misquoted in the remark attributed to him that 'school boards in the past have overwhelmingly opposed the closed shop for teachers'."

"Mr. Fellowes knows very well that the 'closed shop' is not an issue in the amendment to the Public Schools Act now before the Legislature."

"Real purpose of the legislation is to raise the professional status of teaching, and to give the federation some responsibility for, and authority over the professional conduct of teachers. To this extent school boards should be—and many are—in favor of the legislation.

Fundamentally, the only change was in the internal organization of the federation. School board powers under the act would not be affected in any way.

Some trustees assumed, said the federation, that their freedom to appoint any teacher certificated by the Department of Education would be infringed upon by the federation. However, present provision governing appointments and dismissals would remain in force, the federation would gain no new powers in this respect.

"No teacher will be out of a job if he or she is not a member of the federation, except that suspension or expulsion from federation membership for unprofessional conduct would have the effect of dismissal — if the teacher lost his appeal to the Council of Public Instruction."

The federation emphasized that this right of appeal was a safeguard against abuse of the proposed legislation.

Danger From Governments Dominated By Communists

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States Under-Secretary of State, Dean Acheson, agreed today to open for public inspection secret "background" documents dealing with the situation in Greece and Turkey.

He did so at the request of members of the House of Representatives foreign affairs committee, now considering President Truman's proposal to use $400,000,000, plus military advice and materials, to bolster the two countries against Communist aggression.

CALLED MYSTERIOUS

Acheson discussed the President's proposal generally in two hours of public testimony before the House group Thursday. When he returned for further testimony today, Chairman Charles A. Eaton (Rep.-N.J.) inquired about the "mysterious secrecy" of the documents which were handed to committee members Thursday for their personal information.

Eaton said the documents have "seemed to create more interest than the grave issue before us," —that of a major shift in U.S. diplomatic policy.

Acheson said Eton had called his attention to a demand within the committee that copies of the document be furnished the press. He said the State Department now planned to do just that, with the likelihood that they would be made public later in the day.

Acheson, asked whether a Communist-dominated government in China would be a danger to U.S. security, replied that the existence of such governments anywhere in the world is "dangerous" to American security.

Thieves Concentrating On Homes

While at the end of last year and the beginning of 1947 thieves were concentrating on downtown shops, during the last few weeks the activity has switched to city homes.

Since the start of March there have been a number of house robberies reported to Victoria police, in several of the cases a considerable amount of jewelry being taken.

A survey around the Greater Victoria police departments today revealed that this home-concentration by thieves only applies to the city. Chiefs of Police Hugh Reston of Oak Bay, Gilbert Stancombe of Esquimalt, and J. Bull of Saanich, reported no unusual activity in this direction.

Latest city home robbery was perpetrated yesterday. This was the dwelling of R. G. Jackson, 1765 Hollywood Crescent, who is away holidaying in California. A. H. Price, 1801 of the same street, reported to police Mr. Jackson's home had been entered.

Police found the premises were entered by breaking a window and undoing the lock to enable entry to the rear bedroom. All drawers in the house were turned out. It was not possible to know if anything had been stolen. Mr. Jackson will not be back from California until mid-April. This is believed to have been a daylight robbery.

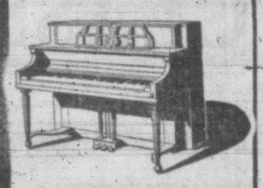
City police, employing prowler cars, are doing their utmost to stamp out the latest outbreak in the home districts.

Daughter, Fiance To Be Charged With Murder Of Parents

SANTA ANA, Calif. (AP) — A theory that Mr. and Mrs. Walter Overell, wealthy socialites, were slain with a hammer aboard their power cruiser before an explosion wrecked the craft in fashionable Newport Harbor Saturday night was advanced today by police.

Sheriff James Musick said he planned to file a murder charge against George R. Gollum, 21, fiance of the Overells' daughter, Beulah Louise, 17, heiress to their reported $600,000 fortune, and possibly against the girl.

The young people, who were aboard the yacht until shortly before the explosion, were arrested Thursday, booked for murder without the filing of formal charges, and were still held in jail today.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5	.	4.38	8.3	7.26	8.8	12.18	1.6	20.58	1.6
6	.	4.38	8.0	8.14	8.5	13.24	1.9	21.40	2.1
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Announcements

BIRTHS

CANNON—To Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cannon (nee Marjorie Osborne), 1702 Quadra Street, at Royal Jubilee Hospital, on March 21, 1947, a son.

PACEY—To Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pacey (nee Molly L. Kennedy), the gift of a son at Vancouver General Hospital, on March 20, 1947.

MARRIAGES

DOUGLAS-STRIDE—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stride, 1614 Gladstone Avenue, announce the marriage of their daughter, Madge Catherine, to Raymond John Douglas, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Douglas, Victoria, which took place at Sequimalt United Church, at 8 p.m., March 14, with Rev. Hood officiating.

WHITE-HALL—The marriage of Irva Victoria, daughter of the late Mrs. Josephine Hall, 303 Beechwood Avenue, to Alfred Edward White, took place very quietly in Vancouver on March 13, at the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. U. Laite.

DEATHS

BELL—Passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on March 20, Alexander Anderson Bell, aged 79 years; born in Gloster, Ottawa, Ontario, and a resident of this city for the past two years, late residence, 1357 Esquimalt Road, formerly of Clarsholme, Alberta. Survived by one brother, George, in Clarsholme, Alta., one sister, Mrs. George F. Russell of 1009 Carberry Gardens, also one niece, Mrs. Sandford Hand of Seattle.
Funeral services will be held in the Chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd., on Saturday, March 22, at 10.00 a.m. Rev. James Hood will officiate, followed by cremation.

CAY—Passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on March 17, Eustice B. Cay, aged 84 years, born in England, and a resident of Saanich, for the past three months, late residence Aldersley Road, and formerly of Beatty, Sask. Survived by one sister, in England; one nephew, Maurice Cay, and one sister-in-law, Mrs. Cay, both in Estevan, Sask.
Funeral services will be held in the Chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd., on Saturday, March 22, at 3 o'clock. The Very Rev. Dean S. H. Elliott will officiate. Interment will be in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

COLEMAN—Passed away at the St. Joseph's Hospital, on March 20, 1947, Peter Coleman, aged 61 years, of 870 King Street; born in Cork, Ireland, and had resided in Victoria for the past 40 years. He leaves to mourn his wife, Mary Clare, three daughters, Mrs. F. E. (Mary Clare) Songhurst, of Victoria; Miss Dorothy Eileen and Miss Norah Josephine, both at home, and two sons, Michael John and Peter James, both at home; also one brother, Joshua Smith of Victoria, and his mother and three brothers in Ireland.
Prayers will be offered in McCall Bros. Floral Funeral Chapel on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock and mass will be celebrated on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock in Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, Old Esquimalt Road. Interment will take place in Colwood Burial Park.

JACKSON—Passed away suddenly, in Nanaimo, on March 19, Mrs. Edith Alice Jackson, aged 63 years; born in Todmorden, Yorkshire, England, widow of the late Herbert Jackson, recently residing with her daughter, Mrs. J. Cooper of Nanaimo, but for 35 years a resident of Victoria. Survived by two sons, Arthur, of Kelowna, Robert, of Victoria, one daughter, Mrs. J. Cooper, and four grandchildren, also brothers and sisters in England. She was a member of the Daughters of England.
The funeral will be held in the Chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd., on Saturday, March 22, at 1.30 p.m. Rev. G. H. Easter will officiate. Interment will be in the Colwood Burial Park.

LITCHFIELD—At the family residence, 1147 Hilda Street, on March 20, 1947, Henry O. Litchfield, in his 77th year; born in Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, and a resident of this city for 34 years. He leaves his wife, at home; one son, Arthur Litchfield of Fowler, Cal.; one granddaughter and two grandsons.
Funeral on Monday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2:45 p.m., for Christ Church Cathedral, where service will be conducted by the Very Rev. S. H. Elliott, Dean of Columbia, at 3. Interment in family plot, Ross Bay Cemetery.

McCULLAGH—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on March 20, 1947, Thomas McCullagh of 1012 Duchess Street, aged 72 years; born in County Tyrone, Ireland and a resident of Victoria for 30 years. He leaves his wife in Kelowna, B.C., two daughters, Margaret in Bloomfield, Ont., and Mary in England; and one son, John in Ontario. He was a member of A.F.&A.M.
The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

McDOUGALL—March 20, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Malcolm Hugh McDougall, age 28 years, born in Bender, Sask., and a resident of Victoria four years, residing at 774 Hill Street. He is survived by his wife, at home, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McDougall, at 309 Simcoe Street, six brothers and two sisters, Gordon and Ann of Victoria; John and Mrs. L. Thompson, Vancouver; Angus, William, Allen and Archie McDougall at Regina.
Funeral services on Monday, March 24 at 3 p.m. in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd. Rev. T. H. McAllister officiating. Interment Royal Oak Burial Park.

McPHEE—On March 20, 1947, Mrs. Kathleen Margaret Angeline McPhee of William Head, aged 87 years, widow of James William McPhee; born in Victoria, and had been living in Happy Valley for many years. She leaves three sons, Frank Rhode, of William Head, Joseph Rhode, of Vancouver, and Albert Rhode of Happy Valley, and one daughter, Mrs. Pauline Boyer, of San Francisco, Cal., also 12 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.
Funeral on Saturday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 8.45 a.m., for St. Andrew's Cathedral, where requiem mass will be sung at 9 o'clock. Interment in family plot, Ross Bay Cemetery. Prayers will be offered in Hayward's Chapel, Friday, at 7 p.m.

MAYNE—On March 19, 1947, Thomas Henry Mayne, of 1228 McKenzie Street, aged 68 years; born in Weymouth, Dorset, England, and a resident of Victoria since 1914. He leaves his wife, and one son, Thomas W. Mayne, in Victoria, and one sister, Mrs. W. E. Hamlett of Bournemouth, England.
For many years Mr. Mayne was a member of Victoria Lawn Bowling Club and later of C.P.R. Lawn Bowling Club, was secretary of bowling tournament, also was a member of Army and Navy Veterans in Canada.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday, at 3 p.m. Cremation.

POWELL—At St. Joseph's Hospital on March 17, 1947, Beatrice Mary, beloved wife of Evan George Powell, aged 56 years, of 912 Newport Avenue, formerly of Regina, Sask., and had been living in Victoria for four months. Besides her husband, she leaves two sons, David of Victoria, and Howard of Regina; and three daughters, Mollie of Regina, Noel of Brandon, Man. and Gwyn of Bradford, Ont. Mrs. Powell was a member of Christ Church Cathedral Choir and of the Choral Union.
Funeral on Saturday, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 1.15 p.m., for Christ Church Cathedral, where service will be conducted by Rev. T. L. Leadbeater at 1.30. Cremation.

FUNERAL

PIERCE—Funeral services were held on March 19, at New Westminster, for Mrs. C. J. Pierce (formerly Dora E. Heap of Victoria). She is survived by her husband, Charles; two children, Shirley and Billy; also a sister, Mrs. C. Lanigan, 1418 Thurlow Road, and a sister and two brothers in Saskatchewan; also a sister in England. Prior to her marriage, Mrs. Pierce was a teacher in Victoria and Sidney, and a graduate from Royal Jubilee Hospital.

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9.30 Columbia Record Shop—KIRO.
News—KOMO
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10.00 Grand Central Station—KIRO.
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1.00 High School Sports—CJVI.
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ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT

NOTICE is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt has been requested to amend the Zoning By-law, being By-law No. 222, by the reclassifying of the East 40 feet of the West 80 feet of Lot 18, Block 2, Map 195 as a Retail District.

AND TAKE NOTICE that all persons whose property would be affected by such amendment may appear in person, by attorney, or by petition, before the Municipal Council, Municipal Hall, Esquimalt, British Columbia, on the 31st day of March, 1947, at 7 p.m. in respect to their objections.

AND TAKE NOTICE that all persons affected by the proposed amendment may inspect the proposed By-law at the Municipal Hall, Esquimalt, British Columbia, on any week day from the 18th day of March, 1947, to the 31st day of March, 1947, between the hours of 9 a.m. to the hour of 5 p.m., except on Saturday, when the By-law may be inspected from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

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Austin Goward New Tennis Club Head

H. Austin Goward was elected president of the B.C. Electric Tennis Club at the annual general meeting this week. He succeeded C. T. Teasdale, president of the club for the last 12 years, to whom he paid tribute on the occasion of his retirement.

Other officers are: H. B. Gonder, vice-president; Betty Miller, secretary; S. C. Roberts, treasurer, and Mrs. R. S. McConnan, Mrs. C. Webster, Miss Win Elliott, R. D. Travis, T. W. Kensington, Frank Boughey and Cyril Webster, members of the executive committee.

W. C. Mainwaring was named honorary president and the following honorary vice-presidents: E. N. Horsey, E. Harrison, E. G. Hart, R. B. Mathews, T. R. Myers and D. A. M. Patterson. A. D. King and Arthur Richardson were named honorary patrons.

Business of the meeting included a discussion of plans for opening the 1947 season on Saturday, April 19.

Crowds In Durban Cheer Royal Family

DURBAN, South Africa (Reuter)—Enthusiastic crowds mobbing the royal car made the King and Queen and the princesses 30 minutes late in arriving at Durban city hall for the civic ball Thursday night.

People paid as much as £45 ($180) for the tickets. They watched the princesses dance time and again.

During the day people peered through field glasses over the hedges surrounding the King's house in the hope of catching glimpses of the Royal Family. Some climbed fences and cheered and shouted as they saw the King playing tennis.

The Royal Family are remaining here today and tomorrow before leaving Sunday for the Transvaal.

Directors Nominated

Canadian Chamber of Commerce has nominated 18 members to serve on the board of directors, nine of whom are to be chosen at an election to be held within the next two weeks.

Those nominated are: L. B. Bing, C. N. Chubb, H. M. Diggon, P. Fleming, J. D. Hagar, H. S. Hammill, F. W. Hawes, W. G. Heaney, H. P. Hodges, V. L. Leigh, Walter Luney, F. A. E. Manning, Walter S. Miles, J. E. Neely, N. A. Tomlin, George H. Wheaton, Archie Wills and W. L. Woodhouse.

Those elected from this slate will serve with nine directors who have another year to serve. These are: R. L. Chaloner, W. J. Clark, T. G. Denny, H. C. Holmes, Harold Husband, J. V. Johnson, W. C. Mainwaring, Logan Mayhew and J. Harold Wilson.

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Portland May Take Baker, Andrews East

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—The Portland Indians, champions of the Pacific Coast Professional Basketball League, will seek two Vancouver, B.C., players if they compete in the national tourney at Chicago next month.

Ray Clark, co-owner of the Indians, said no decision had been made on accepting the tourney bid, but that Norm Baker and George Andrews of the Vancouver Hornets would be sought if Portland goes east.

Racing Results

SAN BRUNO, Cal.—Horse racing results at Tanforan Park Thursday follow

First Race—

First Salvo	$15.40	$6.60	$2.80
Tops Boy	---	4.40	2.60
Cold Harry T.	---	---	2.20

Scratched: Marchaway, Tops Sir.

Second Race—

Pirate	$18.60	$9.80	$5.00
Win Out	---	16.30	7.40
V Max	---	---	3.60

Scratched: Bit O Brown, Defer, Toubo Isle, Follow Me Home.

Third Race:

Pore Boy	$6.70	$4.30	$2.70
Unamorata	---	7.00	4.10
Danofol	---	---	3.00

Fourth Race—

Block to Block	$25.30	$8.20	$5.20
Blue Flag	---	3.50	2.80
Peace Treaty	---	---	7.30

Scratcher: Hasta La Vista.

Fifth Race—

Soon Again	$12.70	$7.70	$4.20
Dream Cake	---	9.30	5.00
General Rule	---	---	3.70

Sixth Race—

Freedom Ring	$4.80	$3.20	$2.30
Patch Up	---	5.00	3.30
Bizerte	---	---	3.10

Scratched: Top Tune.

Seventh Race—

Air Tune	$7.40	$5.70	$3.50
Sea Song	---	4.70	3.30
Mikelet	---	---	4.20

Scratched: Toppum.

Eighth Race—

Timmy	$11.00	$4.30	$2.90
Bill Bartlem	---	3.00	2.30
Strebor	---	---	2.60

Youths Find Explosives

A warning was issued by Oak Bay police to parents and children that blasting and percussion caps are extremely dangerous and should not be touched, following finding of a box of caps and 15 feet of fuse by youths Thursday night.

The youths told police they found the materials near the site of an abandoned shack in Oak Bay. Blasting caps are about one inch long, dull silver in color and as thick as a pencil. Percussion caps are the size of a pencil eraser. Police are seeking to learn the reason why the dangerous articles were left around.

CANUCKS ALL THROUGH

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Vancouver Canucks of the Pacific Coast Hockey League packed their bags for home today following cancellation of plans for an exhibition series with the Edmonton Flyers.

"We're through for this year," said Canuck's manager, Coley Hall. "They can start taking up the ice at the forum anytime now."

Bigger Payments To Blitzed Homes

LONDON (Reuter)—Increased value payments to bombed-out Britons which will cost the treasury an additional £50,000,000 ($200,000,000) were approved by the Commons today.

Hugh Dalton, Chancellor of the Exchequer, emphasized the need to speed up liquidation of these debts and said the increase—payable to 200,000 property owners—would carry out recommendations of a recent war damage commission which found the original scale of payments too low.

Approximate amount of the original value payments at 1939 prices was £100,000,000 ($400,000,000). This had been increased to £145,000,000 ($580,000,000), Dalton said, and the ultimate total, including possibility of other assessments, would be within £150,000,000 ($500,000,000).

Chief benefit of the increase, and a speed-up in payments, would be felt by war-ravaged towns like Plymouth, where 4,000 out of 34,000 houses were destroyed in six weeks of the blitz.

Prices Board May Be Ended This Year

OTTAWA (CP) — Government sources said today it was possible the Prices Board might disappear as a separate unit of government some time late this year and its remaining functions be turned over to the other departments.

This speculation was aroused by the impending retirement of Donald Gordon as chairman of the board. The Prime Minister's announcement the government had decided the decontrol program was sufficiently far advanced to allow Mr. Gordon to return to his pre-war job was taken as an indication the functions of the board gradually are lessening and the time may soon come when its remaining and less-essential duties can be absorbed by other departments.

VANCOUVER (CP)—The first shipment of seed oysters from Japan since the Second World War arrived here Thursday. The oysters are being dispatched to the British Columbia oyster beds in Comox.

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Dealings Slowest Of Past Year

NEW YORK (AP)—Selective advances of fractions to a point or so brightened the stock market a bit today although many leaders were neglected and dealings among the slowest of the last year.

Sluggishness ruled from the start. Trends stiffened here and there around midday. While scattered losers persisted, plus signs predominated near the close.

Hiram Walker, with a gain of 3, stood out among mixed Canadian issues at midday. Dome Mines and McIntyre each lost ¼ while Canadian Pacific added ⅛ and Distillers Seagram was unchanged.

Dow Jones closing averages:

30 industrials	176.90	up 1.53
20 railways	48.87	up 0.45
15 utilities	35.75	up 0.04
65 stocks	63.54	up 0.49

Total sales, 710,000.

(By R. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Closing Bid
Allied Chemicals	114-4
American Can	95
American Tobacco	74
American Smelter	35-2
American Tel. and Tel.	166-3
American Woolen	42-4
Anaconda Copper	39-4
Atchison Topeka	88-2
Aviation Corp.	6-2
B. and O. Railway	14-4
Bethlehem Steel	91-6
Canadian Pacific Railway	12-5
C. and O. Railway	49-3
Chrysler	97-3
Con. Edison	27-2
Commonwealth and Southern	3-2
Du Pont	184
Erie Railroad	10-2
General Foods	43
General Electric	35-7
General Motors	60-3
Goodyear Tire	35-4
Great Northern	42-4
Homestake Mining	40-4
Inter. Harvester	84
Inter. Paper	46-7
Inter. T. and T.	14-5
Inter. Nickel	32-6
Johns-Manville	123-1
Kennecott Copper	46
Loew's Theatre	23-4
Montgomery Ward	58-2
National Power Lite	1-4
New York Central	18-2
Norfolk and Western	210-4
Northern Pacific	19-6
Pacific Gas Electric	40-4
Paramount Pub.	36-3
Pennsylvania Railroad	22-2
Proctor & Gamble	62
Public Service New Jersey	52-3
Radio	7-1
Schenley Distillers	40
Standard Oil California	55
Standard Oil New Jersey	67-2
Sears Roebuck	35-4
Socony Vacuum	14-4
Southern Pacific	41-4
Southern California Edison	33
Southern Railway	42-3
Texas Corp.	60
Union Carbide	100-3
Union Pacific	123
United Aircraft	18
United Fruit	49-3
U.S. Rubber	77-3
U.S. Steel	78
Warner Bros.	18
Westinghouse Electric	35-5
Woolworth	43-6
Zenith Radio	20-6
National Distillers	19-2

FOOD PRICE INDEX

NEW YORK (AP) — Dun and Bradstreet reported today that its wholesale food price index, representing the sum total of the price a pound of 31 foods in general use, was $6.70 March 18, unchanged from the previous week but 60.3 per cent higher than the $4.18 registered March 19, 1946. The record high of the index was $6.77 March 4.

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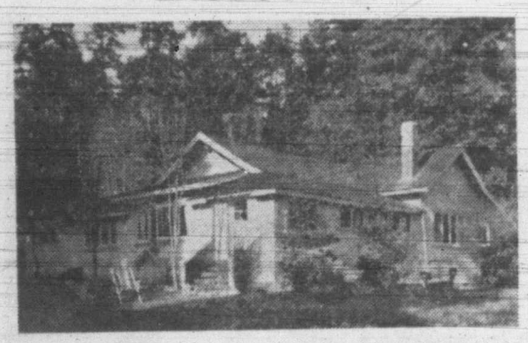

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Winnipeg Electric Only Bright Spot

MONTREAL (CP) — Trading continued light with main interest in a few selected issues up to the final hour today.

Winnipeg Electric was a bright spot in otherwise dull dealings and was moderately active with a rise of 1¾ to 17¼.

Papers were only lightly exchanged and prices narrow. Cub Aircraft eased down to 2, while other industrials were quiet and mostly unchanged.

In balance of list, Nickel was ½ better in metals while oils failed to register any important adjustments. Mines were featureless.

Closing Montreal averages:

20 industrials	123.90	unchgd.
10 utilities	76.30	up .30
30 combined	108.10	up .20
10 pulp-paper	338.49	off .86
15 golds	71.18	up .11

Total sales, 126,000.

(By James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Can. Invest Fund		505
Can. Bank of Com.	21¾	22
Dominion Bank		29¼
Imperial Bank		38
Bank of Montreal	26	26¾
Bank of N.S.	36⅛	36⅜
Royal Bank	23¾	24
Bank of Toronto	35	38
Abitibi Com.	18¼	18½
Abitibi Pfd.	20⅞	21
Algoma Steel	24¾	25½
Aluminum Pfd.	26⅛	
Asbestos Corp.	26	28¼
Bathurst A	21¾	22
Bell Telephone	181	187
Brazilian Tract.	22	22¼
Br. Amer. Oil	25½	26
B.C. Power A	28½	29
Building Prod.	30	30½
Bruck Silk Mills	26	27
Bucko Gold		18¾
Can. & Dom. Sugar	21¼	22
Can. Malting	53	57
Can. Nat. Power	9½	10¼
Can. Steamships Com.	13¼	15½
Can. Steamships Pfd.	48¾	
Can. Cement	19⅛	19⅝
Can. Breweries	25	25¼
Can. Bronze Com.	43	45
Can. Car &Fdy. Com.	13½	14
Can. Celanese	62	62½
Can. Dredge & Dock	26	28
Can. Indus. Alcohol	13¾	14
Can. Locomotive	28½	28¼
C.P.R.	13⅝	13¾
Can. Vickers Com.	32	
Cockshutt Plow	12¾	12½
Comm. Alcohol	4⅛	—
Cons. Paper	17⅝	17¾
Consumers Glass		42
Crown Cork & Seal	47½	49
Distillers Seagram	16¼	16⅞
Dom. Bridge	33½	
Dom. Engineering	41	43
Dom. Fdries. & Steel		50
Dom. Oilcloth & Lin.	38	39⅞
Dom. Woollens	13¾	14
Dom. Steel & Coal B	15	15½
Dom. Stores	25¾	26
Dom. Tar & Chem.	27	28
Dom. Textile	95	98
Donna Paper	17½	18
Dryden Paper	18¾	19
Eddy Paper	20	20½
Fairchild Aircraft	2⅝	2⅞
Fanny Farmer	38	
Fleet Aircraft	4	4¼
Ford of Can. A	22	22¼
Foundation Co.	24¾	
Fraser Co. V.T.	31	32
Gatineau Power	17½	17¾
Gen. Steel Wares	17¼	17½
Gypsum Lime	14¾	15¼
Hamilton Bridge	8¾	8
Howard Smith	27½	28½
Imperial Oil	13¼	13⅜
Imperial Tobacco	15	15¼
Indus. Accept.	31	32
Int. Bronze Pwdr.	38½	39
Int. Nickel	35⅝	35⅞
Int. Paper	49¾	50
Int. Pete	14¾	14¼
Jamaica P.S.	12	12¼
Lake of Woods	33	33
Lowney, Walter M.	11¾	12
Maple Leaf Com.	14	14½
Massey Harris Com.	20	20½
Massey Harris Pfd.	20⅞	20
McColl Front. Com.	26	25¼
Minn. & Ont. Paper	18¼	18
Mitchell, Robt.	17½	18½
Molson's Brew.	35	36
Moore Corp.	69	71
National Brew.	43½	44
National Drug	13	13⅞
Nat. Steel Car		25¼
Ogilvie Flour	27½	29
Page Hersey	31	33
Penman's Ltd.	65	70
Powell River	35¼	36
Power Corp.	13	13¼
Price Bros.	57	58
Quebec Power	19⅞	20
St. Law. Corp. Pfd.	39½	40½
St. Law. Paper Pfd.	123	124
Sick Breweries		13½
Southam Co.	17½	18½
South Can. Pwr.	16¼	
Standard Chem.	8⅝	9
Steel of Can.	78	81
United Steel	8⅞	9⅜
Walker Gooderham Com.	23¾	23⅞
Westeel Prod.	24½	
Wpg. Elec. Com.	16⅝	17

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Prices Ease Off In Dull Trading

TORONTO (CP)—Prices generally eased off in the draggiest trading in months on the Toronto Stock Exchange today, but western oils edged narrowly upwards.

Winnipeg Electric traded more than 4,500 shares for a gain of more than a point and Canada Packers A about 1,500 shares unchanged to feature an otherwise dull industrial list. Great Lakes paper advanced above a point in the papers group.

Dome was off a fraction as was Bralorne in senior golds. Losses predominated as in secondary golds where changes were narrow.

Base metals boarded gains for about three issues and losses for about six.

Toronto closing index:

20 industrials	174.14	up .28
20 golds	107.49	off .65
10 base metals	87.94	off .12
15 western oils	24.43	up .30

Total sales, 816,000.

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)
March 21, 1947, 9 a.m.

	Bid	Asked
Alum. Co. of Canada 4% pfd.	26½	26¾
Ashdown Hardware A	14	14¼
Beatty Bros. A	42	43
Bell Telephone	185	187
Brazilian T. L. and P.	22	22¼
B.A. Oil	25¼	25½
B.C. Power A	28¼	29
Bruck Silk Mills	25½	26
Burlington Steel		12½
Canada and Dominion Sugar	21½	23
Canada Steamship Lines pfd.		49
Canadian Breweries	24½	25¼
Canadian Pacific Railway	12⅞	13½
Cons. Paper Corp.	17⅝	17⅞
Cosmos Imperial Mills		29¾
Distillers Seagram com.	16½	17
Dominion Bridge	33¼	34¼
Ford A of Canada	21½	21¾
Imperial Oil	13¼	13⅜
Imperial Tobacco	15⅜	15½
Inter. Metal Indus. 4½% pfd.	103	104
Do. A	26	27½
Inter. Petroleum	14½	14¾
Loblaw A	31	32
McColl Frontenac 4% pfd.	102½	103⅜
Do. com.	24½	25½
Montreal L. H. and P. Con.	24	24¼
Montreal Locomotive Works	19¼	19⅞
Monarch Knitting Co. Ltd.	16	17½
National Hosiery A	11¾	12
National Steel Car	24½	25½
Page Hersey Tubes	31½	32½
Powell River Co.	35¼	36½
Russel Indus. Ltd.	12	12¾
Shawinigan W. and P.	24⅞	25⅞
Sicks Breweries Ltd.	13	13½
Simpson's Ltd. A	28	29
Do. B		24½
Southam Co. com.	17½	18
Steel of Canada pfd.	83	86
Steel of Canada	77	80
Untog Oils	9¼	9½
United Fuel A pfd.	47	48
Walker G. & W.	23¼	23⅞

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Akaitcho	1.22	1.25
Arntfield	.08	.09
Asturia Rouyn	.14	.15
Aubelle	.27	.28
Aumaque	.53	.54
Aunor	4.75	4.85
Bear Exploration	.78	.80
Beatty	.83	.86
Beaulieu	.37	.39
Bevcourt	1.14	1.17
Bidgood Kirkland	.18	.20
Bobjo	.21	.23
Bralorne	11.25	12.00
Brownhill	.40	.42
Buffalo Addison	1.30	1.34
Buffalo Ankerite	3.90	3.95
Buffalo Canadian	.23	.24
Campbell Red Lake	2.90	2.95
Castle Trethi	1.23	1.30
Canadian Malartic	.75	
C. and E. Corp.	2.05	2.10
Central Patricia	1.95	1.99
Chesterville	3.65	3.85
Coin. Lake	.40	.41
Colombe	.32	.38
Croinor	1.12	1.30
Cons. Smelters	87.25	88.00
Cochenour Willans	2.99	2.30
Coniaurum	1.04	1.10
Dome Mines	20.00	20.50
Donalda	1.12	1.15
Duparquet	1.10	1.15
East Malartic	2.20	2.30
East Sullivan	3.35	3.40
Elder	1.12	1.15
Eldona	.56	.57
Falconbridge	4.50	4.75
Francoeur	2.00	2.05
Giant Yellowknife	6.70	6.80
Gods Lake	1.50	1.52
Golderest	.18	.19
Golden Gate	.35	.37
Golden Man.	.36	.39
Harker	.16	.18
Harricana	.13	.14
Hardrock	.49	.50
Hasaga	1.25	1.30
Heva Cadillac	.75	.80
Hollinger	10.00	10.50
Home Oil	2.25	2.40
Homer	.10	.11
Hosco	.53	.55
Howey Gold	.35	.37
Hudson Bay Mining	41.00	41.50
Indian Lake	.15	.17
Inspiration	.68	.80
Inter. Uranium	.52	.55
Jason Gold	4.25	4.45
Joliet Quebec	.57	.60
Kerr Addison	12.50	13.00
Kirkland Lake	1.56	1.58
Labrador	4.00	4.25
Lake Dufault	.57	.60
Lakeshore	14.00	14.25
Lamaque	6.10	6.50
Leitch Gold	1.27	1.29
Little Long Lac	1.95	2.00
Lingman Lake	1.17	1.19
Louvicourt	2.75	2.80
Lynx	.22	.24
Madsen Red Lake	3.35	3.40
Macassa	3.90	4.00
Marcus	.90	.92
Malartic Goldfields	2.05	2.10
McDonald	3.55	3.60
McIntyre	56.00	56.50
McKenzie Red Lake	.72	.75
McLeod Cockshutt	1.83	1.88
Moneta	.56	.58
Negus	1.93	1.97
Nipissing	1.61	1.65
Normetal	1.63	1.65
Northern Canadian	.61	.65
Noranda	47.50	48.00
Norseman	.11	.13
Okalta	.47	.50
O'Brien Gold	2.15	2.20
O'Leary Malartic	.16	.19
Omega	.08	.08½
Orlac	.57	.60
Ottaka Lake	1.15	1.20
Pamour Porc.	1.50	1.55
Paymaster	.49	.50
Perron Gold	1.12	1.15
Pickle Crow	2.90	2.95
Powell Rouyn	1.17	1.19
Premier Gold	.76	.79
Preston	1.60	1.65
Queenston	.90	.95
Quemont	16.50	17.00
Redcourt	.66	.69
San Antonio	3.90	3.95
Senator	.42	.43
Sheep Creek	1.25	1.35
Sherritt Gordon	4.15	4.20
Sigma	9.00	9.50
Siscoe Gold	.63	.66
Sladen Malartic	.43	.45
Steeprock	2.20	2.30
Sullivan	2.25	2.30
Sylvanite	2.30	2.40
Teck Hughes	3.40	3.75
Toburn	1.12	1.15
Trans. Cont. Resources	.80	.83
Upper Canada	2.43	2.48
Ventures	9.25	9.75
Waite Amulet	4.50	4.80
Wright Hargreaves	3.10	3.20
Wasa Lake	1.00	1.01

Toronto Unlisted

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Advance	5	8
Bright Red Lake	5½	7
Bravo	2½	4
Cassidy	10	13
Columbiere	4	5
Dexter	35	38
Kamlac	19	22
Lake Expanse	8	10
Lasalle	15½	17
Lassie	23	28
Mate	5	7
Norcourt	10	12
Orlona	5½	6½
Rand	6	9
Redwood	3½	4½
Rich-Group	8	11
Salmita	17	18
Bonbeau	6½	8
Tiffany	3½	4½
Trojan	10	13
Waterdro	6	9
Finnavie	3	4

Mines And Oils Move Up Slightly

VANCOUVER (CP) — Mines and oils moved up a bit this morning while industrials were quiet.

Closing Vancouver averages:

20 golds	60.48	off .58
10 base metals	102.46	up .41
15 oils	93.20	up .26

(By Mara, Bate & Co. Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
OILS—		
Anaconda	5⅛	5½
Anglo-Canadian	131	135
A.P. Con.	12	16
C. and E. Corp.	210	—
Calmont	27½	—
Commoil	32½	40
Commonwealth	37	41
Dalhousie	27	—
Foothills	325	340
Home Oil	320	330
Mercury	5⅝	6
McDougall Segur	7½	8
Mid. Cities	6½	8
Model	17½	—
National Pete.	—	19
Okalta	49	—
Pacific Pete.	87	—
Royal Canadian	6½	7
Vanalta	11½	13
Vulcan	17	25
MINES—		
Bayonne Cons.	12	13½
Bralorne	1120	1175
Bridge River Con.	7⅝	7¾
Do. Extension	12	13
Canusa	20½	22
Cariboo Gold	265	275
Congress	4½	5
Dentonia	25½	28
George Copper	12	15
Golconda	15½	—
Grandview	21	—
Grull Wihksne	10	11
Hedley Mascot	115	118
Highland Bell	80	—
Island Mountain	150	—
Kootenay Belle	7	—
Minto	—	5
Pacific Nickel	—	14
Pend Oreille	275	300
Pioneer Gold	375	390
Premier Border	—	5
Premier Gold	75	—
Privateer	48	42½
Quatsin Copper	14	15
Red Hawk	6	—
Reeves McDonald	155	160
Reno Gold	10½	12
Salmon Gold	24	25
Sheep Creek	125	132
Silback Premier	75	90
Taylor Bridge	53	—
Wellington	4	5
INDUSTRIALS—		
Capital Estates	875	950
Coast Breweries	300	310
Powell River	36	—
United Distillers	15	—

Grain

WINNIPEG (CP) — Rye futures prices showed some recovery on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today under the impetus of moderate buying by United States and commission houses. Prices, however, were down at the close from the tops registered during the session.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Rye—				
May	311	312-6	311	312-4
July	277	281-6	274-3	280
October	232	236-4	231-7	235-1

Cash Grain Close

Oats—No. 2 cw. 51-4, track 51-4.
Barley—No. 3 cw. 84-6, track 84-6.
Rye—No. 2 cw. 314-4, track 312-4.

CHICAGO (AP)—Grains were strong on the Board of Trade today on buying which was based on indications that the government may shortly resume its corn-purchasing program.

The upturn started in corn, which assumed market leadership although price gains were wider in wheat.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
March	277	277	274-4	276
May	252	256	250-2	255-2
July	222-4	224-6	220-4	224-2
September	213	216-2	212	216
Corn—				
March	169	170-2	168	170
May	165-2	168	165	167-4
July	160	162	159	161-6
September	155-4	157	155-4	156-6
Oats—				
March	91-6	92-6	89-4	91-4
May	85-4	86-3	84-2	86
July	75-7	77	75-2	76-5
September	71-2	72	70-6	71-4
Barley—				
March				154
May				139

Preferred Stocks

(By T. H. Burns & Co. Ltd.)

	%	Bid	Asked
Acadia-Atl.	5	105	—
A-C Tel. ($50 Par)	—	52½	54
B.C. Electric	6	106	107½
B.C. Telephone	6	110	111½
Calgary Power	6	106	107½
Can. Bread	4½	104	106
Can. Industries	7	185	—
Can. Utilities	5	101¾	104
C.W. Natural Gas	6	106	108
Dominion Malting	5	105	—
Donnacona	4½	103½	104½
Gatineau	5½	103	110
G.B. Wares	5	106	107½
Holt-Renfrew	7	—	160
Ogilvie Flour	7	181	185
Ottawa Power	5	102½	103½
Power Corp.	6	109	111
Price Bros.	4	102	103½
Simpsons	4½	104½	105½
Standard Chemical	5	102½	104
Geo. Weston	4½	104¾	105

Canadian Bonds

(By Investments Dealers' Association)

Dominion of Canada—	Bid	Asked
VL 1 3 1951	104.90	105.90
VL 2 3 1954	105.95	106.95
VL 3 3 1956	105¾	106¾
VL 4 3 1957	104¾	105¾
VL 5 3 1959	104½	105½
VL 6 3 1960	104½	105½
VL 7 3 1962	104½	105½
VL 8 3 1963	104½	105½
VL 9 3 1966	104½	105½
4½ 1959	106¾	107¾
3¼ 1966	106.00	107.00
3¼ 1952	104.35	105.35
3 1952	103.00	104.00
3 Perp.	103¾	104¾
Dominion Guarantees—		
C.N.R. 3 1959	104	105¼
Do. 4½ 1956	124.00	—
Do. 5 1954	117½	118¾
Do. 5 1968	112½	—
G.T.P. 3 1962	109¾	—
Provincial Securities—		
British Columbia 2¾ 1967	99.00	100½
Do. 3 1960	102½	104½
Do. 3½ 1976	106½	—
Do. 4 1957	113½	—
Do. 5 1953	114¾	—
Alberta 3½ 1970	101¾	103¾
Saskatchewan 3 1963	97¾	99½
Do. 4 1960	104½	—
Do. 5 1958	114¾	—
Do. 6 1962	111¼	113¼
Manitoba 2¾ 1968	99.00	100¾
Do. 4 1959	104½	—
Do. 4½ 1956	110½	—
Do. 5½ 1958	122¼	—
Ontario 2¾ 1975	99¾	101¼
Quebec 3 1962	103½	105½
New Brunswick 2¾ 1966	98.00	100.00
Nova Scotia 3 1976	103.00	105.00
Municipal Securities—		
City of Vancouver 2¾ 1971	99.00	—
Do. 3 1967	98½	101.00
Do. 4 1958	107.00	—
Do. 5 1966	122.00	—
City of Victoria 3¾ 1962	103¾	—
Van. Water Dist. 2¾ 1967	98½	100.00
Do. 4 1957	107½	—
Do. 3¾ 1964	103.00	—

V.M.D. To Refit Ship

Ss. Seaboard Ranger, of the Seaboard Shipping Company, is scheduled to dock Saturday at the Victoria Machinery Depot shipyard for annual survey and extensive repairs and alterations.

Educationist To Pay Visit Here

John Longland, educational administrator in England and noted mountain-climber, will be a visitor in Victoria March 31, speaking to several organizations. His visit is part of a speaking tour arranged by the British Ministry of Information.

During his stay in Victoria Mr. Longland will address Normal School students in the morning on the new Education Act in England. At noon he will be the luncheon speaker of the Gyro Club on the subject of mountaineering.

He will be the dinner guest of the principals of the Greater Victoria school system and conclude his one-day stay here by meeting members of the Victoria section of the Alpine Club of Canada in the evening.

In charge of arrangements for Mr. Longland, are J. F. K. English, senior municipal inspector of schools, and H. O. English, principal of the Normal School.

Measles Approaching Stage Of Epidemic

Measles in Victoria is approaching epidemic level, Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson said today, with 71 cases having been reported since last Sunday.

Most of the cases are not serious, he said, and very few are hospitalized. The majority infected are schoolchildren although there is a fair number of under-school-age and adults also suffering.

Dr. Anderson reiterated his advice to have babies and pre-school children receive a dose of measles serum immediately upon being in known contact with the disease. These injections can be given either by the family doctor or at the Health Centre on appointment.

There is also quite a few cases of mumps being reported in the city and several cases of scarlet fever.

Bavarians Seeking Victoria 'Pen Pals'

A letter has been received in Victoria from Miss A. M. Braun, secretary of a group of German citizens who are organizing an international correspondence bureau. The letter states that the group would like to correspond with people in Victoria.

"Most of the members have a fairly good knowledge of English," the letter reads, "but would also be pleased to write in German, if desired."

Miss Braun says that the group includes scientists, students, experts and other well-educated ladies and gentlemen.

"Pen-friendships are a step towards the creation of that international friendship and good-will that is so essential to understanding and peace," the letter reads.

Anyone interested in establishing contact with the group is asked to write: A. M. Braun, 13b Munchen 15; Lindwurm Strasse, 126-A; Germany Bavaria, U.S. Zone.

Cabinet Asked To Help Farmers Get More Lime

A five-man delegation representing the lime committee of the Fraser Valley today met the provincial cabinet to discuss ways and means of securing more lime for Fraser Valley farms.

The delegation was introduced to the cabinet by A. C. Hope, Coalition member for Delta. Chairman of the committee was W. Poppy.

The delegation represented 30 farmers' institutes with a membership of about 5,000.

Province Asks Bids On Seymour Bridge

The public works department today called tenders for the construction of both the substructure and the superstructure of a bridge over Seymour Creek, North Vancouver.

The substructure tender calls for the building of two concrete abutments while the superstructure tender calls for the erection of a 200-foot steel-truss span, together with concrete roadway, curbs and sidewalks. Both tenders will close at noon, April 2, at which time they will be opened in the works minister's office.

McInnis Backs Plea For Franchise Extension

John McInnes, C.C.F., Fort George, while supporting W. T. Straith, Coalition, Victoria, in his plea for extension of the franchise to Orientals, told the B.C. Legislature he was not supporting the plea of Mrs. Nancy Hodges, Coalition, Victoria, for compulsory voting.

Mr. McInnis said that if the affidavit at present required to put a name on the voters' list were abolished severe penalties should be provided for improper registration.

One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

STUDENTS TAKE STOCK

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS representing Canada and the 20 American republics have recently been taking part in an unusual experiment in international relations.

For six weeks those young people attended the ordinary classes in high schools in the eastern United States, ranging from Allentown, Pa., to Connecticut.

At the close of the course, the participating students gathered for an all-day discussion on "The Americas in the World We Want."

And the summing up of their stock-taking was broadcast over the NBC network at a forum sponsored by the New York Herald-Tribune.

CANADIAN VIEWS

A COPY of the script of that forum broadcast has just come into my hands. And what those youngsters said has given me much food for thought.

So, because this whole experiment was perhaps the largest of its kind ever undertaken on this continent, I think it is worth noting here.

In the radio panel, David Ellis represented the Canadian students who took part in the six weeks' visit to the U.S. schools.

His comments bear out what many adult observers of international affairs have averred as to the paucity of our knowledge of the people of other countries, and how little they know of us.

'ALL FREEZE STIFF'

WHEN ASKED by the moderator to give his impressions of his stay, David said this:

"People in the United States don't know anything about Canada! Evidently no Canadian history is taught in the schools of the metropolitan area. I have been asked such fantastic questions as 'Does Canada still pay taxes to Great Britain?' If the student who asked me that had taken any Canadian history he would have known that not even before 1867, when Canada was a colony, did Canadians pay taxes to England . . . they never have.

"Again, they seem to think down here, that is some of them, that everyone in Canada speaks French and that we all freeze stiff for the whole winter. More Canadian geography is needed by American students. Indeed all the countries of the three Americas must study and read more about each other."

The only U.S. participant on the panel agreed with David and admitted the visiting students knew "lots more about us than we do about them."

SCHOOL SYSTEMS

THE PANEL, which consisted of eight students, including representatives of Ecuador, Panama, Argentina, Bolivia, Mexico and Uruguay as well as Canada and the United States, also discussed the school systems.

Young Ellis decided that he preferred our Canadian system of having high schools of commerce and technical high schools distinct from those that train for college.

In his opinion it was better than the American idea of trying to cram between the four walls of one institution both preparation for college and courses for commerce and business and machine shops.

But the Argentinian would like to see more of the American system in his schools, claiming that while Argentine students gain a greater richness of knowledge at present, they miss the training for the all-round business of life provided in the U.S. curricula.

DISCIPLINE DISCUSSED

TEACHER-STUDENT RELATIONSHIPS also came in for much serious discussion by the youngsters. Here is the Canadian boy's contribution:

"One of the main criticisms I have to make of schools in the New York metropolitan area is the attitude of the students towards their teachers. It's not good. I think the whole atmosphere is better